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TWELVE O'CLOCK, M.

## NEWS BY CABLE.

**Reverdy Johnson Declines the Southampton Banquet—The Elections in France—Egyptain Viceroy on a Tour—The Alabama Treaty.**

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.

### GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON, May 18.—Reverdy Johnson has written a note to the authorities at Southampton, declining the proposed banquet in his behalf. He took occaison to express his gratification of the extinction of the late apprehension of unfriendly relations between Great Britain and the United States. He was assured the people of both countries regard war as a direct calamity.

LONDON, May 18.—The *Standard* today, in an article on the Alabama claim treaty, says: "The idea of awaiting a further expression from Parliament and Congress commits the business to indefinite postponement. England's sentiments have been clearly pronounced. She is still prepared to submit to a proper tribunal the question of wrongs and damages, but controversy on preposterous grounds, whatever the American sentiment may be, is absurd. From this position England cannot recede."

DUBLIN, May 15.—The Archbishop of Cashel, Rev. Dr. Patrick Leby, in a Pastoral letter, refers to the recent outrages committed in the South of Ireland. He considered it lamentable that the acts of a few desperadoes should tarnish the fame of Tipperary, and emphatically denies the existence of an agrarian conspiracy. The outrages, he says, were the result of the unhappy relations existing between the landlord and tenant, and a settlement of the land question in Ireland would be sure to diminish the number of such unfortunate occurrences. The pastoral bids dissatisfied tenants to look for hope to the Imperial Legislature, and points out the danger of estranging England by the commission of such outrages as have recently been perpetrated.

### FRANCE.

PARIS, May 18.—The elections in this vicinity are likely to result favorably to the opposition, but the general result throughout the country leaves little hope for that party.

PARIS, May 18.—The negotiations for the Conference between France and Belgum have been completed. The session of the Commission will open in this city at an early day.

### SPAIN.

MADRID, May 18.—Senor Figuerola, Minister of Finance, to-day submitted the budget to the Cortes.

### EGYPT.

ALEXANDRIA, May 18.—The Viceroy of Egypt sailed from here yesterday on a tour through Europe.

### MARINE NEWS.

QUEENSTOWN, May 19.—The steamships City of Baltimore and City of Boston from New York, arrived last evening. The steamship Palmyra from New York, arrived to-day.

HAVRE, May 18.—The steamship Bellona from New York arrived to-day.

SOUTHAMPTON, May 18.—The steamship Guiding Star from New York arrived this morning.

MAVILLE, May 18.—The steamer Jura from New York for Glasgow, has arrived.

### FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, May 18.—Consols: money 92¾, and account, 92⅞. Bonds, 78¾. Stocks firm. Erie, 19¼. Illinois, 96¼. Tallow, 42s. 6d. Sugar, 39s. 3d.

FRANKFORT, May 18.—Bonds, 86⅝.

LIVERPOOL, May 18.—The market is generally closed. Wheat easier and not quotably lower. Flour 21s. 3d.

ANTWERP, May 18.—Petroleum, 49¾fr.

HAVRE, May 18.—Cotton quiet and steady at 141fr. on spot.

PARIS, May 18.—Bourse strong. Rentes, 72f. 20c.

MANCHESTER, May 18.—Markets quiet owing to the holidays, but firm.

SOUTHAMPTON, May 18.—The steamer Baltimore, from Baltimore for Bremen, arrived to-day.

### Military Intelligence.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CHICAGO, May 18.—The following military intelligence was received at Gen. Sheridan's headquarter, to-day:

Major Kidd, of the 10th cavalry, reports his pursuit, April 17th, of a band of Indians who failed to go to their reservation. He overtook them at Elk creek, but failed to capture them, owing to the jaded condition of his horses. The Indians were Cheyennes.

Major Gen. W. L. Elliott is announced as temporary Acting Assistant Adjutant General of the Department of the Lakes, with headquarters at Detroit.

Major General Reynolds, commanding the Fifth Military Division, State of Texas, has re-published, for the advice and assistance of the Board of Registers, the qualifications required from voters.

Captain Henry Asbury, commanding Camp Supply, Indian Territory, reports the arrival at that place, May 7th, of Yahte, medicine man of the Arapahoes, with a number of the tribe. The remainder of the tribe will arrive soon, expecting food and clothing from Camp. There is no food or clothing for them, and very little subsistence at the fort. He apprehends trouble from the Kiowas and Camanches along the Arkansas river.

Lieut Mason Carlin, at Fort Hays, Kansas, May 10th, gives an account of the killing of some Indians who were confined at the posts. The chiefs were ordered to be removed, in care of a guard, from the corral to the guard room, when they gathered in their tents, began the death whoop and taking out their knives went for the soldiers. "Cardigan" attacked the Sergeant of the guard and was knocked senseless by a blow with the butt of a musket. Sallie, a ferocious squaw, wielding a knife, tried to sheath it in the body of an officer, when one of the guard shot her dead. "Big Head" looked with scorn upon the circle of bayonets surrounding him and stabbed Sergeant Hazen, dangerously wounding him in the back. A guard shot him dead. "Dull Knife" tried to stab everybody near him and he was pricked severely by the bayonets. He and the senseless Cardigan were then disarmed and put in the guard house.

## MEMPHIS.

**The Commercial Convention—Opening Day.**

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

MEMPHIS, May 18.—The weather to-day was clear and pleasant. Everything conspired to make the opening day of the Commercial Convention auspicious. After assembling at headquarters, on Adams street, a procession of the delegates was formed, who marched, preceeded by a band, to the Opera House, which was handsomely decorated and festooned with evergreens. An arch over the stage was inscribed "Memphis welcomes her guests." On the right and left of it were a miniature locomotive, steamboat and ship. Underneath the latter was suspended a section of the Atlantic cable. Long before twelve o'clock, the appointed hour, the house was crowded with delegates and visitors, who were regaled with national airs. Promptly at the hour the Convention was called to order by W. H. Cherry, Chairman of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce, after which an appropriate prayer was offered by Bishop Pearce, of Georgia, which was followed by an official welcome by Mayor Leftwich, at the conclusion of which Governor Patton, of Alabama, was nominated by acclamation as temporary Chairman, and W. P. Moore, of Memphis, as temporary Secretary.

On motion of Hon. Eratus Wells, of Missouri, a Committee on permanent organization was appointed by a call of the States, the Chairman of each delegation announcing the names as the State was called. On the call of States the following responded: North Carolina, Missouri, Iowa, Alabama, Ohio, Virginia, Indiana, Mississippi, Georgia, Arkansas, West Virginia, Louisiana, South Carolina, Tennessee, California, Kentucky.

After the Committee had retired Hon. J. W. Clapp, of Memphis, delivered the welcome address, which was heartily applauded.

The Convention then adjourned until 4 P. M.

On reassembling in the afternoon, after some discussion, the Committee on Credentials was discharged, and on motion, all who had received invitations from the Memphis Chamber of Commerce were declared eligible to seats on the floor.

Mr. Treezevant of Memphis, asked leave to read a letter from General Lee, which was granted amidst tumultuous applause. He regretted his inability to be present at the meeting for building up the shattered fortunes of the country, and expressed the greatest sympathy and interest in the movement. The reading of the letter was received with renewed applause. It was ordered to be spread on the minutes.

A committee of one from each State was then appointed on permanent organization.

It was then moved that Senators Sprague and Fowler, Gen. Halstead, and Gen. Kirby Smith be appointed to seats on the floor. Carried.

Calls were made for Sprague, but it was ascertained that he was not in the room, and in response to the call, Senator Fowler addressed the Convention at some length, urging the importance of harmony and fraternal feeling in the work of the Convention, and also the paramount importance of subjects to be considered, particularly the leveeing of the Mississippi, reforming the labor system of the South, and building a railroad to the Pacific, which could be used at all seasons of the year. He then gave way to the Committee on permanent organization who announced the following as the permanent officers: Gov. Chas. Anderson, of Kentucky, formerly Lieut. Governor of Ohio, Chairman; Erastus Wells, of Missouri, Gen. A. R. Lewton, of Louisiana, Geo. H. Waters, of South Carolina, W. H. Cherry, of Tennessee, Frank C. Moorehead, of New York, Governor M. Patton, of Alabama, Col. W. H. Galewood, California, J. B. Haldeman, of West Virginia, George W. Sappington, of Arkansas, Vice Presidents; W. H. Fitch, of Memphis, Secretary, and members of the press as assistants.

Gov. Foote and Judge Williams, of Ky., were appointed a committee to conduct Gen. Anderson to the chair, who, after being introduced by Gov. Dalton, returned thanks for the honor and touched upon the duties of the Convention and work before it, which brought rounds of applause.

After adopting a rule to meet hereafter at 9 A. M. and 3 P. M., the Convention adjourned.

The city is full of strangers, and every train coming in is crowded. Everything indicates a harmonious Convention, as notwithstanding the many antagonistic interests to be subserved, the best of feeling prevails.

### High Water in the Lower Mississippi —Breaks in Levees.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

NEW ORLEANS, May 18.—Information has been received of a break in Grand Levee in the Parish of Pointe Coupee, a half mile above. Repairs had just been completed at great expense on the crevasse, which has flooded so large a portion of West Louisiana in the last two years. The present break does not threaten to do so much damage as the previous one, the levees being some distance from the river's edge, and the water at the break being only six feet deep, though one hundred and fifty yards wide; but from the high stage of the water it will be difficult, if not impossible, to close it for some time to come. The work on the Villier crevasse, at St. Bernard Parish, has been abandoned as hopeless. The break is now several hundred feet wide and of great depth, the water sweeping uninterruptedly back to the lakes.

—The annual meeting of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows of Missouri assembled at Odd Fellows Hall, St. Louis, on Tuesday. A very large number of delegates were present, nearly every Lodge in the State being represented. The membership of the Order has largely increased during the year. The revenue of the year was $68,418; total assets $184,211; amount paid from relief fund $20,373. The session will last several days and some important matters relating to the interests of the Order are to be discussed, among them the adoption of a new Constitution for the government of the Grand and subordinate Lodges. The election of officers for the coming year will take place to-day, and the annual meeting of the Grand Encampment will be held on Thursday.

—Reports from various parts of Minnesota say that the wheat crop never looked more promising. A much greater breadth has been sown than ever before.

# SECOND EDITION.

FOUR O'CLOCK, A. M.

## THE CAPITAL.

By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

WASHINGTON, May 18, 1869.

DYER COURT MARTIAL.

The opinion of the Court in the case of General Dyer, Chief of Ordnance, is promulgated in a general order from the War Department, which is that no further proceedings are necessary. The report and opinion were approved and confirmed by the President, and the Court dissolved.

TREASURY MATTERS.

It has been concluded to appoint Cyrus A. Eastman, of San Francisco, Assistant Treasurer of the United States and Treasurer of the branch mint in that city.

Preparations are being made by the Appointment Clerk of the Treasury Department and his assistants towards reducing the force of the Secretary's office. About fifty dismissals will probably take place.

ARMY GAZETTE.

Brevet Maj. Gen. Samuel B. Sturgis, Colonel of 7th Cavalry, has been ordered to join his regiment in the Department of the Mississippi; Brevet Brig. Gen. O. D. Shepherd, Colonel of 15th Infantry, has been ordered to Fort Concha, Texas, to join his regiment, *en route* to New Mexico; Lt. Col. Chas. J. Whiting, of 6th Cavalry, has been ordered to join his regiment in the Fifth Military District.

OCEAN MAIL SERVICE.

The Postmaster-General, to-day, directed the mails to be sent by the Bremen line of steamers from Baltimore direct to Bremen. The service is fortnightly each way. The mails in other parts of the country will be sent under existing arrangements.

TAX ON VELOCIPEDE RINKS.

The Acting Commissioner of Internal Revenue decides velocipede rinks are liable for the special tax on exhibitions and on gross receipts from such exhibitions the same as theatres.

THE POSTMASTER DIFFICULTY.

Judge Edmunds entered upon his duties as Postmaster this morning. His predecessor, Colonel Alexander, did not, as it was stated he would, claim the benefit of the Tenure-of-Office Act.

APPOINTMENTS.

The President to day appointed Albert Sigle, of Missouri, Recorder of Land Titles for Missouri, and Gustave Janecke United States Consul at Altona.

## WEST INDIES.

**Consternation in Porto Rico—Yellow Fever and Vomito—The Insurrection in Cuba—Spanish Convoy Captured—Garrison of Los Tunos Captured by the Patriot Cubans.**

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, May 18.—Late advices from Porto Rico state that the island is in great consternation. The principal street of Ponce has been burned by incendiaries; business is stopped; the yellow fever and vomito are carrying off hundreds of the Spanish troops, and the hospitals are overflowing. All the houses of the Spaniards were marked with a red hand, and circulars were distributed saying that all who were able were fleeing from the island. Soldiers who stroll into lowly places are assassinated. Overseers of neighboring plantations and white laborers have been conscripted by the authorities.

A general uprising is momentarily expected. The revolutionists were becoming more bold, and are only awaiting the yellow fever and vomito to continue a little longer its deadly work to give the signal. The negroes of late had displayed much dissatisfaction, and many had left their masters and escaped to the mountains, where the revolutionists are fast congregating in large numbers. By this time the war reigns supreme over the island.

A Trinidad letter of the 21st ult, states that the Spanish troops attacked a body of patriots near there on the 18th, but were routed. A Spanish convoy was captured near Los Tunos on the 15th, some of the troops retreating to that town from whence they rallied to attack the patriots again. The patriots, however, made a detour and entered the town, capturing the garrison. They immediately took possession of the city, and found some artillery, among the rest, two fine field pieces, with which they armed two fortifications which were immediately erected on their arrival. They were reinforced by two hundred men which the Spaniards held in confinement. On the 16th the Spanish troops presented themselves before the city, but were soon put to flight by the artillery of the Cubans.

HAVANA, May 18.—The reports previously received from both Spanish and insurgent sources greatly exaggerated the proportion of a fight at Los Menis on the 3d inst. More reliable accounts, now at hand, reduce the affair to a skirmish. The Spanish and rebel troops in the interior are suffering equally from fevers. It is said many of the latter are dying from want of shelter and medical attendance. Trains are again running on the Puerto Principe and Nuevitas Railroad. Cane grinding has again been interrupted in some localities on the north and south coasts by heavy rains. The United States gunboat Penobscot arrived to-day.

Another battalion of mobilized negro troops left for active service in the field.

The announcement by telegraph of the failure of Schepler & Co., in New York, caused some uneasiness in commercial circles here.

The *Diario* of to-day contains a report that the insurgents have burned the towns of Sobinuca, Cascorro and Guimora, but the *Voee De Cuba* doubts the truth of the report.

### The Coal Strike Not General.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

SCRANTON, Pa., May 18.—The Delaware, Lackawanna and Western miners at Hyde Park, the Pennsylvania Coal miners at Pittston, and the Delaware and Hudson miners at Olyphant, numbering altogether more than 50,000 men, are and have been steadily at work.

## NEW YORK CITY.

**Sunday School Anniversary—Desperate Conduct of a Prisoner—Bounty Check Forger—Ways and Means Committee—Paterson Races.**

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, May 18, 1869.

The fifty-third anniversary of the New York Sunday School Union was celebrated this afternoon in thirty-two churches.

The case of George B. Davis, indicted for perjury in making false affidavits against Collector Barney, was before Judge Benedict to-day. During the opening for the prosecution Davis became fearfully excited, exclaiming repeatedly "It's a lie," and finally drew a bottle from his pocket, swallowed the contents, and declared it to be poison, and that he would be dead in two hours. The case was adjourned until to-morrow to ascertain if the prisoner was playing off.

Ten Eycke, the actor, charged with obtaining payment on forged bounty checks, has been held for trial.

The Ways and Means Committee of the United States House of Representatives go to Philadelphia on Monday next to spend the week in Pennsylvania, and then go to San Francisco, returning in August.

A the Paterson races to-day the hurdle race was won by Thompson's bay Gelding, beating Tycoon and making two miles in 4:30. The mile dash was won by Hira, beating Enchantress and Morrissey; time, 1:50½. The mile heats race was contested by Metaire and Connelly; the first heat was won by Connelly in 150, the second and third heats and race by Metaire in 1:50¼ and 1:50.

A meeting of the several posts of the G. A. R. was held in this city this evening, when arrangements were made for decorating the graves of Union soldiers in this vicinity on the 31st inst.

The naval Court has sentenced the captain and mate of the captured schooner Galvanic to six years imprionment, and the twenty-two passengers captured on board to eight years.

## BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

—Geo. Hood, business manager at the Academy of Music, Philadelphia, died Tuesday morning.

—The wrecks of the six steamers burned last Wednesday at Cincinnati, have been sold for $9,725.

—Jas. B. Gibson, a grocer of St. Louis, received an invoice of Japan tea on Tuesday, via the Union Pacific railroad, only thirty days from Yokohama.

—Major General Hancock and staff arrived at St. Paul on Monday to take command of the Department of Dakota, with headquarters at St. Paul.

—The trial of the New Ulm, Minnesota, murderers, who were the authors of a bloody tragedy two years ago last Christmas, has been again postponed.

—Jobson & Chase's planing mill and lumber yard in Springfield, Mass., were destroyed by fire Tuesday morning. Loss about $20,000; partially insured.

—A large number of Presbyterian clergymen have gone from St. Louis to attend the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church South, at Nashville, Tenn.

—The schooner Grapeshot, suspected of having been purchased in the interest of the Cuban revolutionists, is still detained by the U. S. authorities at Beaufort, S. C.

—The opening sale of single tickets to the Peace Jubilee, at Boston, yesterday, attracted a large crowd. One music store at the west sent an order for twelve hundred.

—The Methodist clergymen of Chicago met on Monday and passed resolutions strongly protesting against the ceremony of decorating the soldiers' graves being performed on the Sabbath day.

—The owl train from Albany, Tuesday morning, collided near Chester, Mass., with a delayed freight train. George J. Parter, of Charlestown, and Mrs. E. L. Heldsirom, of Buffalo, were the only persons seriously injured.

—The Chicago Young Men's Christian Association passed a resolution—nine ayes, eight nays—that women should not be allowed to become members of the Association. Brother Moody, the President, gave the casting vote.

—Prof. Austin, of the Smithsonian Institute, is in Springfield, Illinois, and with his assistants has taken observations for the purpose of establishing a new meridian line as a base of observation of the eclipse in August.

—Late Arizona advices state Indian depredations were numerous. The savages murdered Milton S. Hadley, a pioneer citizen of the territory, April 18th, near Prescott, and also captured and destroyed the mail from California, near Tuscan. The mail rider barely escaped.

—Louis Lissing, who was arrested some weeks ago at Burlington, Iowa, on the charge of murdering a step-child two years ago last July, and taken to St. Peters, Minnesota, for trial, was on the 15th convicted of murder. The evidence was entirely circumstantial.

—In the Chicago Common Councils, on Monday night, resolutions were introduced, proposing to test the constitutionality of the law passed last winter by the General Assembly of Illinois, conveying the lake front to Illinois Central, Michigan Central, Chicago and Burlington and Quincy Railroads.

—President Nesmith, of the Mount Auburn street railroad, Cincinnati, and several drivers were arrested yesterday for driving cars of that road over a portion of the track belonging to another company, without permission. Whenever a driver is arrested another is employed in his place and the cars kept moving.

—William Halgrew was instantly killed at Watertown, Minnesota, on Monday. He had been hunting, and was leaning on his loaded rifle with the muzzle of the gun against his breast. While in this position his horse kicked at him and his hoof striking against the cock, caused a discharge of the gun, the charge passing through his heart.

—The National Baggage Masters and Brakesmen Association convened at Cincinnati yesterday. Twenty-six delegates, representing four hundred and twenty-one baggagemen and five hundred and sixteen brakemen are present. Mr. Wallington, of the Michigan Central Road, is President. The object of the Convention is to form a life insurance association.

## DECORATION DAY.

**Another Meeting—Programme Adopted—Election of Marshals—Resolutions, Communications, &c., &c.**

An adjourned meeting of the G. A. R. Executive Committee, appointed to make arrangements for the proper celebration of "Decoration Day," was held in City Hall yesterday afternoon.

Major J. F. Denniston presided, and called the meeting to order at three o'clock.

Capt. W. B. Cook, from the Committee appointed to prepare a programme of exercises for the occasion, presented the following:

PROGRAMME.

Posts of the Grand Army of the Republic will assemble at their respective headquarters at 8 o'clock A. M., and proceed thence to City Hall, arriving there at or before 9 o'clock A. M.

The ceremonies at City Hall will consist of reading of General Orders No. 21, Hd. Qrs. G. A. R., and No. 4, Hd. Qrs., Dept. of Pa., an oration, a poem and music—and will be opened and closed with prayer.

These ceremonies will be presided over by the Chairman of the Executive Committee G. A. R.

At the close of the above ceremonies a procession will be formed and ready to move at 10½ o'clock, A. M., sharp.

The procession will be composed of three divisions, the whole to be under the command of a Chief Marshal, and each Division under command of an Assistant Marshal who will designate his own staff officers.

Posts 35 and 88, G. A. R., with all who join from the north side of the rivers, will form the First Division, and will visit Uniondale Cemetery.

Posts No. 3, 38 and 117, G. A. R., and all who join them from Pittsburgh and the districts between the rivers, will form the Second Division, and will visit the Allegheny and St. Mary's Cemeteries.

Post No. 151, G. A. R., and all who join from the South Side, will form the Third Division, and will visit the cemeteries on the South Side.

The procession will be formed at such places and in such order, and will move over such route, as the Chief Marshal and his Assistants may hereafter designate.

The graves of soldiers in the various cemeteries to be visited will be previously marked with small flags by committees appointed for that purpose.

Each person will be provided with a boquet of flowers, and in strewing the graves will drop one flower on each grave as he passes through the cemetery.

Marshals of Divisions may adopt such other ceremonies in strewing the graves as they may deem appropriate.

The ladies, under the management of the Monumental Association, will take charge of the floral department.

A National salute will be fired from the Arsenal, commencing at 10½ oclock A. M.

The Assistant Marshals will cause the "Assembly" to be beaten by the drum corps at 2 o'clock P. M., when they will reform their respective divisions, return and dismiss.

SUNDAY, May 30th, 1869.

Ministers of the various churches of the county are respectfully requested to preach memorial sermons to their respective congregations at their usual time of holding service on Sabbath morning, and such as comply are requested to furnish the Secretary of this Committee with manuscript copies of their sermons for publication in the "Record of Memorial Ceremonies," authorized by Act of Congress.

During the continuance of these ceremonies, the citizens are requested to display their flags at half mast or draped in mourning.

The ceremonies will be open to all, and it is hoped and expected that all who desire will participate.

The report as read was adopted.

MUSICAL EXERCISES.

On motion of Captain Cook, comrades Callow, Beckzrt and Smith were appointed a committee to wait upon Prof. Wm. H, Slack, and request him to take charge of the vocal musical exercises of the days.

ELECTION OF MARSHALS.

The next business in order was the election of marshals for the procession. Major E. A. Montooth, General J. B. Sweitzer, and Captain W. B. Cook were placed in nomination for the position of Chief Marshal. Four ballots were taken without a choice being made, when on the fifth ballot Captain Cook withdrew, and Major E. A. Montooth was elected.

The following Assistant Marshals were then elected for the various divisions: First Division, Capt. Alex. Callow; Second Division, Capt. J. C. McConnell; Third Division, Capt. Geo. S. Wood.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

On motion, Comrades Edward Negley, J. McLanahan, D. Jones, M. Shaffer, Dr. Hazlett and Abe Patterson were appointed a Committee on Finance.

SUSPENSION OF BUSINESS.

Major Denniston offered the following:

WHEREAS, A large proportion of the members of the G. A. R. are clerks and employes, and as a disposition has been shown by the citizens generally to participate in the ceremonies of "Memorial Day," therefore

*Resolved*, That we respectfully request the manufacturers of the city and vicinity to suspend operations during the day Saturday, May 29th, and that the merchants are hereby requested to close their places of business from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M. of said day.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS.

A communication was read from the teachers in the First ward schools, Pittsburgh, stating the school could be relied upon for a supply of flowers.

Comrades Jones and Beckart were appointed a Committee to wait upon Major Montooth and notify him of his election as Chief Marshal.

Maj. Denniston stated the ladies desired a hall to be procured for the reception of flowers on Friday, 28th inst.

Captain Cook and Comrade and Lee S. Smith were appointed a Committee in reference to this matter.

The matter of procuring conveyances for disabled soldiers was discussed, but no definite action taken, it being left in the hands of the Finance Committee.

Major Denniston stated he had received a communication from Miss S. A. Wallace, stating that the Third Ward School would furnish a share of flowers for the occasion.

On motion, Major Denniston and Capt. Cook were appointed a Committee to procure orators for the day.

Adjourned to meet Friday afternoon next, in City Hall, at three o'clock.

### Marriage of Gen. Negley.

At Philadelphia, on Tuesday, General James S. Negley, member of the [illegible] of Representatives from the XIId District, was married to Miss Grace Ashton, of Schuylkill county. The ceremony, performed by Rev. Jacob Todd, in the Methodist Episcopal Church, was witnessed by a large audience, and characterized by all the elegance and eclat incident to a wedding in high life. A considerable number of army officers were present.

### A Railroad Arrangement.

The stockholders of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railroad held their annual meeting at Cincinnati yesterday. President L'Hommedieu reported in regard to the Erie contract. Its chief features are: That for the annual sum of one hundred and eighty thousand dollars, payable in equal monthly instalments, we grant to the Erie Railroad Company for ten years the exclusive privilege of our broad gauge track, and a portion of our depot facilities for their business in connection with our road, reserving our local business, but withdrawing from competition for New York traffic, and that to avoid confusion and unnecessary expense to both parties this Company is to move their trains and cars and handle such freight of the Erie Company as they shall require on their account and at their expense, the cost of which service, including the cost of furnishing motive power, a fair proportion of the compensation of station agents and clerk hire, and of the salary of a joint superintendent and other necessary expenses connected with the business, is to be determined in proportion to the comparative wheelage of the two parties, and paid monthly. Also the following with regard to other connections: An arrangement has also been made with the Cincinnati, Sandusky and Cleveland company to receive the full local business of that road, we giving in return the business of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton road to all local points on the Cincinnati, Sandusky and Cleveland road, and uniting with them in through Eastern all rail business. With a view of avoiding injurious competition between the Dayton and Michigan and Cincinnati, Sandusky and Cleveland roads, it has been agreed that the business of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railroad shall be sent by the Cincinnati, Sandusky and Cleveland to and from all points to which said road, in connection with the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton forms whole or part of the shortest all railroad line. On the other hand, all traffic west of the Sandusky road, including Detroit and Canada, shall not be competed for by the Cincinnati, Sandusky and Cleveland Railroad as against the Dayton and Michigan. This contract harmonizes with that made with the Erie Company.

—The 55th anniversary of the American Baptist Missionary Union was held at Boston, on Sunday, Rev. Dr. Casswell, President of Brown University, presiding. The treasurer's report shows the receipts for the year to be nearly $107,000, and the expenses, including the debt of last year, $210,274. The annual sermon was preached by Rev. George Dana Boardman, of Philadelphia. Rev. Dr. Price, delegate from Wales, and Rev. Mr. Henry, delegate from Ireland, and several other clergymen, made addresses.

—Seven companies of the Fifth cavalry, under command of Gen. Carr, while moving from Kansas toward Fort McPherson, on the 13th, struck a camp of about five hundred Cheyenne Indians. A fight ensued, in which the Indians were badly defeated, leaving twenty-five warriors on the field and carrying off a large number of wounded. Gen. Carr lost three men killed, and one officer and two privates wounded. The Indians abandoned their camp. Gen. Carr was still in pursuit when last heard from, near Medicine Lake Creek.

—The Farmers' Hotel, at La Crosse, Wisconsin, was burned on Monday. Anson Oleson, while endeavoring to save some of his property, was burned to death. A farm house of C. Oleson, near the same place, was undermined by water and fell on the night of the 15th, instantly killing a little son and so seriously injuring Mrs. Oleson that her recovery was considered doubtful.

—Gen. Reynolds informs the chairman of the Republican Executive Committee of Texas that he has selected all the registrars for the State, and if the President issues the order for an election in Texas, it could be held in July, at the time designated by the late Convention.

### Markets by Telegraph.

NEW ORLEANS, May 18.—Cotton quiet and unchanged; middlings, 28¼@28½c; sales of 1,500 bales; receipts, 632 bales; exports, 25,000 bales. Gold 141½. Exchange sterling 154½; New York ½ premium. Flour is quiet; superfine $5.25; double extra $5,75; treble extra $6,25. White Corn 77@78c. Oats 78c. Bran $1,25. Hay; prime $27@28. Pork nominal at $32,25. Bacon lower at 13½@17½c. Lard; tierce 18½@18¾c; keg 19½c. Sugar is higher and grades stiffer; common 9½@10½c; prime 13¼@13½c. Molasses unchanged. Whiskey; western rectified at 80½c. Coffee dull; fair 15½c; prime 10¾@17½c.

CHICAGO, May 18.—At the open Board this afternoon, the grain markets were quiet and prices were without decided change. A few lots of No. 2 spring wheat sold at $1,13¼@1,13½ seller; market closing steady. Other grains and Provisions are neglected. In the evening 15,000 bushels No. 2 wheat were sold at $1,13¼ seller month.

CAMBRIDGE, May 18.—Beef cattle—receipts 132 head; sales extra at $12@13,50; first quality $12@12,50; second quality, $11@11,50; third quality $10@10,50. Sheep and Lambs—receipts 1,408 head and the market active and prices declined; sales at $4,50@9,50; spring lambs at $9.

NASHVILLE May 18.—Cotton market is flat; low middling sell at 25c: Goodard 24c; stock amounts to 2,852 bales.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—Flour steady at $4,37½@5,37. Wheat quiet at $1,35@1,55. Legal tenders, 72¼.

The Pittsburgh Gazette.

## GATHERING TRAILING ARBUTUS.

BY MISS M. E. N. HATHEWAY.

In April, when the days were bright,
And growing longer in their scope,
When buds were shaking off their sleep,
And all the airs were full of hope;

We walked together, you and I,
In mood that sometimes pensive grew;
For memories of a gladness part,
Eclipsed the present to our view.

By crooked footpaths faintly traced,
Our way along the fields we took;
Climbed broken fence and loosened wall,
And crossed the shallow, gliding brook.

We reached the hills, beneath whose base
The river flows with ceaseless sound,
And knowing the enchanted spot,
Knelt with our faces to the ground.

For those who come with lofty tread,
And careless, undiscerning eyes,
May often go with empty hands,
Nor find this treasure where it lies.

We brushed the withered leaves away,
Old remnants of a worn out year,
And shouted with ecstatic glee,
"The flower is here! the flower is here!"

When crowned with spring's homeward wave,
Our thoughts assumed a gayer hue;
Beneath the magic touch of spring
Belief and courage bloomed anew.

Among all blossoms of the years,
Say, where shall I another find,
Whose sweetness thus the senses charms,
Whose energies content the mind.

Nature's brave messenger, that tells
Of present good, and good to be;
Whose brief companionship excites
The brave desire in you and me

That we might cast old habits off
To let a nobler growth appear;
And greet all seasons with the thought
"The flower is here! the flower is here!"
—*Taunton Gazette.*

## EPHEMERIS.

—Disraeli's physician is a homeopathist.

—Illinois is shipping strawberries east.

—Iowa has a wooden-legged velocipedestrian.

—Three score and ten are the years of Caleb Cushing.

—Hugo, through a letter, has shaken hands with General Cluseret.

—Bayard Taylor is American correspondent for a Moscow journal.

—A French physician prescribes sparkling Moselle as a certain cure for gout.

—Six thousand dollars will pay for a small cottage at Newport for the season.

—Butter color and green are mentioned as the newest colors for Parisian hair.

—The Boston *Post* says just as the trees on the common leave, the loafers come.

—The sunstroke season opened briskly. Several cases occurred last week in New York.

—Northern cabinet-makers are getting a great deal of black walnut from Tennessee.

—Miss Burdett Coutts has spent $1,000,000 in building a market house in London.

—On Thursday the ladies of Louisville are to decorate the graves of the Confederate dead.

—Ten young Hugo's, sons of Victor, are to publish a newspaper, called *La Rappel*, in Paris.

—Boston talks of establishing a "Woman's Bureau." What mysteries it would contain, to be sure.

—President Grant is in excellent health, and weighs more than one hundred and fifty pounds.

—A negress in Georgia was recently arrested for stealing some good clothes in which to be baptized.

—A new England editor advises his readers never to allow a tender feeling to degenerate into a soft one.

—It is said that nearly four thousand persons starved to death in the Metropolis of Merry England last year.

—The pioneer mosquito has been noticed. His trumpet solo was very fine indeed, scarcely perceptible in fact.

—Water is so scarce in India that tigers are driven to seek the settlement where they can quench their thirst in low-caste blood.

—A man in Connecticut has invented a new machine, with which, it is said, one man can sew six hundred pairs of shoes in one day.

—What inanimate objects show a dislike to solitude? Velocipedes; because they'll never travel without somebody.—[*Will-'o-the-Wisp.*

—After the passage of the liquor bill, a sequel to "Gates Wide Open" and "Gates Ajar," will be published, entitled "Bars All Closed," says Quilp.

—A Hindoo doctor at Bombay claims to have a cure for leprosy, and much excitement exists in medical circles in that part of the world because of it.

—The Cincinnati *Commercial* says "Delaware has erected a new whipping post and pillory. It is the only public improvement, to speak of, in the State.

—Horace Greeley, editor of the New York *Tribune*, is about to publish in that journal a series of articles on political economy, designed to elucidate the policy of protection.

—Mr. Frederick W. Seward is said to have bought Mr. Thurlow Weed's interest in the New York *Commercial Advertiser*, the editorial management of which he will assume.

—The New York *Tribune* thinks the Pennsylvania miner's strike was "resolved on because the season and weather are now propitious to 'the National game of Base Ball.'"

—In a serious leader, in a journal too heavy ever to be accused of intentional levity, we find it stated that "Solomon was an individual with whom wisdom was a specialty."

—A Jerseyman, loooking out for an unpleasant means of ending his sojourn in this vale of tears, poisoned himself recently with a delicate compound of kerosene and liquid indigo.

—A mineral spring has been discovered at Fort Edward, N. Y., and that place has concluded to advertise itself as a summer resort. It already has a seminary for the youth of both sexes.

—The opinion is gaining ground in Philadelphia that the numerous so called mad dogs, which have been shot recently in that city, have been merely suffering from fits, to which most canine flesh is heir.

—Archbishop Plantier, of Nismes, said a short time ago to an ultramontaine friend, "France is still the eldest daughter of the Church; but, then, you see, in all large families there are children that turn out bad."

—The school children of the Quaker City have, by penny contributions, raised sufficient money to pay for a monument to Washington, which is to be placed in front of Independence Hall on the coming glorious Fourth.

—On the day when the Figaro announced that M'lle Christina Nilson was to be married to the Duke de Mecca, fifty-seven journalists and newspaper reporters called upon the cantatrice in order to obtain particulars for their papers.

—A man's wife is the best lawyer, his best counsel, his best judge, his best adviser and also the *cheapest and most reasonable*, says an Eastern Editor whose *better* half evidently does not indulge in spring bonnets and Paris fashions.

—A festive stone-cutter in Detroit drank so many times from a whisky bottle that he was unable to distinguish between the mouth of that and the muzzle of his pistol. In attempting to drink from the latter the top of his head came off.

—The celebrated authoress of the "Heir of Redclyffe," Miss Yonge, has gone to Paris to consult several leading psychiatrists. The lady has recently upon several occasions shown unmistakable symptoms of hypochondria, bordering upon insanity.

—One of the weightiest reasons which induced the Pope to refuse to confer a cardinalship on Archbishop Barboy, of Paris, was the fear lest the new cardinal should become the most formidable candidate for the Papacy after the death of Pius IX.

—The wife of one of the men recently killed by the nitro-glycerine explosion at Bergen City, sues for five thousand dollars damages. As she recovered only several very small fragments of her husband, the price set upon her loss does not seem exorbitant.

—A young scamp in Missouri varied the now common tragedy by shooting the woman who wouldn't allow him to become her son-in-law. The youth who might in other circumstances have become his brother-in-law, then despatched him with a load of buckshot.

—Lovers of humor, and admirers of that most comical of living men, Mark Twain, will be pleased to know that he has compiled a new volume of his works which will very shortly be issued under the peculiar title of "The Innocents Abroad, or the New Pilgrims Progress.

—Where mad-stones come from usually we don't know, but one now in the possession of Major James B. Lockhart, of Athens, Alabama, is one which he took out of the stomach of a deer in 1846. It is dark brown, porous and egg shaped; is two inches long and one inch thick, and resembles a calculus.

—At the race in Boston on Friday, between the Indian Deerfoot and a bicycle, the red man beat in two straight heats, making his first mile in 5 m. 44 sec. and his second in 4 m. 54½ sec. The velocipede time was 6 m. 4½ sec. for the first mile and not quite so good for the second; so that fast young men would do better to keep an Indian than a velocipede.

—It was not Mr. Fisk, but George W. Carleton, the publisher, who purchased the Worth House in New York. The first rumor arose from some correspondent, who, hearing that a large building had been sold, very naturally thought that Fisk was the buyer, and was perhaps anticipating the result of his libel suits by investing some of their proceeds.

—An exchange says that in Mercer county, Illinois, hunters easily make $150 a week by killing wolves at eight dollars bounty per wolf. This would be eighteen and three-fourth wolves per week, and the local Mr. Bergh should at once interfere to prevent the, probably intense, agony which the odd quarter must suffer each week at such a brutal separation.

—The various temperance societies of the United States are said to have a total membership of 2,400,000. Of these the Father Matthew Societies have the largest number, 600,000, and the good Samaritans and Good Templars each number about half a million members. The Sons of Temperance 400,000, Church Temperance Societies about the same number, Temple of Honor 300,000, and the Cadets of Temperance about 200,000.

—The Philadelphia *Ledger* says during the past week the following vessels loaded with petroleum, cleared from this port: Brig Emchetta, for Triest, with 53,784 gallons; ship Westmoreland and bark Johann, for Antwerp, with 463,731 do.; brig Altavela, for Mayaguez, with 1,000 do., and bark Laboramus, for Havre, with 132,721 do., making a total of 381,236 gallons for the week. Four ships, nine barks and eight brigs are now loading.

A NEW door-plate has been invented which answers the purpose of door-plate and letter-box. It is so arranged that by lifting a small movable plate attached by the hinges to the back of the plate, it leaves an opening large enough to admit papers or letters, and it also has an arrangement that by lifting the small plate it gives an alarm.

### The Scarcity of Money.

There is and must be a general scarcity of currency throughout the country, because that article is so superabundant. This statement is doubtless a paradox to the unreflecting; nevertheless nothing is more certain. The history of this country for the last fifty years shows that money has always been most scarce, and the rates of interest most advanced, when there was the largest absolute amount in circulation. The reason for this is obvious. As a currency is expanded, speculation is excited, prices are greatly raised, and it takes a much larger amount of money to transfer an equal amount of merchandise, while the operations of those who are engaged in influencing and controlling the immense amount of transferable property of all kinds held for speculative purposes absorb all the surplus, and leave the money market in a stringent condition.

Money, we must recollect, is scarce not in proportion to its actual quantity, but to the relative demand for it. When, therefore, in addition to the natural wants of trade, the speculative interest comes into market, the extraordinary demand is certain to create a pressure; so that, practically, it has always been true, as it is now true, that an expanded currency will be most scarce when it is most abundant; that collections will be most unsatisfactory when the circulation is largest; and that the rates of interest will be highest when the loans of the banks are most extended.

This important lesson the people must learn; and if they would have money plenty and cheap, they must insist that the amount shall be reduced to its natural limit—to that point where it is at par with specie. They cannot have an easy and reliable money market until that which is called money is truly so; and we incur no risk in predicting that a satisfactory state of trade will not arrive until the currency of the nation is equivalent in value to the currency of commerce.

### Women Gymnasts.

Has the Chamberlain or his Commissioner ever seen a band of bounding sisters? They dress in the unembarrassed style which for ages has been the costume of the male acrobat, and which is very like that in which they were born. As they stand in a line with the men, hands on hips, the difference of sex is at first scarce preceptible. Nor, indeed, do they indulge themselves in any reserve of gesture such as might be cherished as a relic of modesty. They form pieces of a pyramid with the men, and when the pyramid is resolving itself to bits, are held by the heels, or distorted in any fashion permitted by the laws of gravitation. It should also be observed that the ladies are subject to the most perilous portion of the business, for the obvious reason that the spectators have paid their money on an implied understanding of the sort. To do these women justice, they do not shrink from feats that astonish as well as disgust. A few years ago there was only one Menken, and she had a hard time of it if she were as sentimental as her posthumous Sapphics would suggest; but now we have got far beyond the wearisome "Mazeppa."

It is a bad sign when a people hunger after cruel sport, and this female acrobating, if we may use the term, is not only unseemly, but cruel to a degree. If the women are closely watched, it is easy to perceive that their nerves are not fit for the sad work. Behind the grin of the mime there is a look of natural fear and distrust, as if a ghastly finish to the exhibition were constantly in sight. Their limbs, too, the arms especially, tremble when the feat in hand must be repeated or prolonged. And what sort of training do these women undergo, brought up from early girlhood to such a calling?

### A Frightful Accident.

Thursday afternoon last three little boys, aged five, seven and nine years, sons of Mr. John George, who resides near the canal, about a quarter of a mile below the locks at the State dam, left the locks in search of flowers, going up the side of the hill near it. They had gotten but about fifty yards up the hill, when they came to a little dogwood bush filled with flowers, against which a large log, about fifteen feet in length by two feet in diameter, had lodged. The boys approached the log from the lower side, and, unconscious of the danger, seized the bush and bent it over to pluck the blossoms, when the log, thus freed, started forward far enough to catch the children and pin them to the ground, its weight resting upon the breast of one and the limbs of the others. Their screams soon brought their mother to their assistance, but her strength was of no avail for their relief, and all she could do was to send a messenger up to the locks for her husband and wait for his return. It was ten minutes before he, with other help, arrived, and, in the meantime, the child caught on the breast, aged seven years, had expired, scarcely living long enough to tell his mother that he was dying. The anguish of the parent, as she stood by her child, watching its little face as it blackened with suffocation, without power to afford it relief, cannot be pictured in words. When Mr. George arrived the log was removed and the other children rescued. Dr. Scearce was at once sent for. He found the two children rescued to be but slightly bruised about the legs, the log being kept off of them by resting upon the breast of their brother.—*Chillicothe Regtster, May* 15.

SIX HUNDRED THOUSAND dollars worth of manufacturing stock has been subscribed for a cotton mill at Columbus, Ga., and seventy-one others are in process of erection at Savannah and other points in the State for the manufacture of cotton and woolen goods. One factory at Augusta has a capital of $600,000, and last year turned out nearly six and a half million yards of cloth. The Arizona Cotton Factory, established at Claiborne Parish, Louisiana, since the war, is now paying a net profit of 24 per cent. per annum. This income is realized on a capital of $80,000, and with a part of the machinery counted in the capital not yet at work. New Orleans is soon to have a cotton mill with ten thousand spindles.

THE new Spanish Constitution does not seem to meet with the approval of the liberal journals of Madrid. The objections may be summed up as follows: The Constitution provides neither for a democratic nor a monarchial form of government; but contains an amalgamation of contradictory principles, which are unsatisfactory to both Liberals and Conservatives. So far from being a bond of union, the Constitution, it is asserted, will prove to be the source of new and fatal dissensions.


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## PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, TUESDAY, May 18, 1869.

The oil market continues dull, and exceedingly sensitive and generally unsatisfactory. Refined continues to decline steadily while Crude is exceedingly obstinate, yielding very slowly, notwithstanding the indications point very forcibly to lower prices. It has been fluctuating between 13½ and 14 cents for over a week, and the only sales made were to short sellers to cover maturing contracts; and, by the way, some of these short sellers are now realizing very handsomely on sales, which some time ago, made them feel decidedly blue. The trade, with but very few exceptions, would like to see Crude down to about 12½ cents, and have Refined remain at present figures, as this, with the reduction in freights, would enable manufacturers to start up in earnest, as there would then be a margin.

CRUDE.

Is dull but without important change. Sales of 1000 bbls spot (40 to 45) at 13¾; 2000 (40 to 45) seller to July, at 13¾, and 500 each June to August, (46 to 45) at 14¼. Last evening there was a sale of 1000 seller, this month, (40 to 45) at 13¾; and 1000 each June to August, at 14¼.

REFINED.

Sales of two lots of 1000 each, for the last half of August, at 33½; 1000 June, first half, at 31¼, and 500 each, July to December, at 33. The above sales indicate a decline of from a quarter to a half a cent all around. The advance in gold does not have as much influence on oil as might have been expected.

LUBRICATING OILS.

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| Eclipse Winter Lubricating oil | 40c |
| Eclipse Railroad Axle | 35c |
| Eclipse Machinery | 75c |
| Eclipse Spindle | 80c |

OIL SHIPPED EAST BY A. V. R. R.

Fawcett, L. & S. 465 bbls refined to W P Logan & Bro., Philadelphia.
Lvons & Co. 564 bbls to W. P. Logan & Bro., Philadelphia.
Lockhart, Frew & Co. 525 bbls to Warden, Frew & Co., Philadelphia.
Standard Oil Co., 478 bbls refined to Warden, Frew & Co., Philadelphia.
Livingston & Bro. 150 bbls refined to Warden, Frew & Co., Philadelphia.
Citizens Oil Co. 240 bbls refined to Bostwick & Telford, New York.
Braun & Wagner 250 bbls refined to Waring, King & Co., Philadelphia.
Lockhart, Frew & Co. 200 bbls tar to Libby & Clark, N. Y.
Livingston & Bro. 56 bbls tar to Wm. Lincoln, Boston.
H. W. C. Tweddle 35 bbls lubricating to Penna. R. R. Co., Philadelphia.

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| Total shipments Refined | 2672 |
| Total Shipments Tar | 256 |

### Markets by Telegraph.

NEW YORK, May 18.—Cotton market is quiet and drooping; sales 1,800 bales at 28¾c for Upland Middlings. Flour: receipts were 12,343 bbls; market steady for low grades but dull and heavy for other kinds; sales 5,900 bbls at $5,65@5,90 for superfine State and western; $6,10@6,55 for extra State; $6@6,90 for extra western; $6,95@8 for white wheat extra; $6,25@7,40 for R. H. O.; $7@8 for extra St. Louis; $9@12 for good to choice do; closing quiet. Rye Flour quiet; sales 250 bbls at $4,75@7. Cornmeal dull; sales 175 bbls Brooklyn on private terms. Whisky firm; sales 300 bbls western at 97@98c free. Wheat: receipts were 45,000 bush; prices were 1c better for spring with a fair business doing, with part to arrive; sales 57,000 bush at $1,40 for No. 3 spring delivered; 1,45@1,48 for No. 2 do in store and delivered; $1,41@1,42 for No. 2 do to arrive; $1,62 for amber Canada; $1,63 for amber Michigan; $1,78 for white California; $1,88 for white Canada. Rye dull and decidedly lower; sales were made of 2,000 bush western at $1,28 and 50 bush State at $1,35. Barley dull and declining. Barley malt quiet. Corn—receipts 14,580 bu, dull and decidedly lower; sales 47,500 bu at 75@80c for new mixed western as in quality; 89c for old do. in store. Oats—receipts 76,410 bu, lower and decidedly more active; sales 8,200 bu at 76½@77½c for western afloat, closing at 77c. Rice dull at 8¼@9¼c for Carolina. Coffee firm and quiet. Sugar firm; sales 150 hhds Cuba at 11½@12c. Molasses firm; sales 82 hhds Cuba at 50@52c. Hops quiet at 6@12c for American. Petroleum dull at 16c for crude; 32c for refined. Linseed oil quiet and firm at $1,07 in casks. Spirits turpentine quiet. Pork firm; sales 750 bbls at $31@31,25 for new mess, closing at $31,12 cash; $30,75@30,87 for old do; $24,75@26 for prime; $28@28,37 for prime mess; also, 1,500 bbls new mess, buyers for June, at $31,55. Beef quiet; sales of 115 bbls at 8@16 for new plain mess; 12@18 for new extra mess. Tierce Beef more active; 550 tcs at $20@28 for prime mess, and $25@32 for India mess. Beef Hams steady; 145 bbls at 26@32c. Cut Meats steady; 170 pkgs at 12¾@13c for shoulders; hams 15½@16. Middles quiet and steady. Lard firmer; sales 530 tcs at 17@18¾c for steam, and 18¾@19¼c for kettle rendered, new. Butter quiet at 35@38c for Ohio, and 36@41c for State. Cheese firm at 19@23c. Freights to Liverpool heavy and declining for this week, firmer for next week. Engagements per steamer 70 000 bush wheat for the week at 2½d, and 25,000 bush wheat per steamer for next week at 4½d.

*Latest.*—Flour closed quiet and slightly in buyer's favor. Wheat firm for spring and quiet and rather heavy for winter. Rye dull at $1,28 for western. Oats steady at 77c for western afloat. Corn dull at 78@84c for new-mixed western, and 88@89c for old mixed western in store. Pork quiet and steady at $31,12@31,15 for new mess. Beef dull and unchanged. Cut meats steady and quiet. Bacon in limited request and unchanged. Lard steady at 18¼@18¾ for fair to prime steam. Eggs quiet at 15@17c.

CHICAGO, May 18.—Eastern Exchange easier at 1-10 premium and par buying. Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat dull and a shade stronger; sales of No. 1 at $1,17½@1,18; No. 2 $1,14@1,14½, cash; and $1,13¼@1,13¾ sellers for the month; sales since change at $1,13@1,13¼. Corn—No. 2 declined ½@¾c; sales of No. 1 at 63@63¼; No. 2 57½@57¾; for No. 2 rejected 50¼@51½; closing at 63¼@63½ for No. 1, and 57½@57¾ for No. 2; sales of No. 1 at 63@63¼ sellers for May; No. 2 57¼@58 sellers for May; 58½ buyers for May; 59¼@59¾ sellers for June; nothing doing this morning. Oats dull and weak for present delivery, and ¾c lower, but active at 59¼c sellers for the month; 60c buyers for the month; 58¼ sellers for June for No. 2; sales in store at 59½c. Rye dull and almost nominal at $,14½ for No. 2. Barley dull and nominal at $1,50@1,55 for No. 1. Highwines active and excited; sales at 92@92½c; and closing with buyers at 92¼@92½c. New Orleans Molasses 95@$1,00. Sugar 13¼@14¾c; common do choice. Provisions quiet and steady. Mess pork at $30,75@31; prime mess at $28@28,50. Sweet pickled hams, 15@16c; short rib middles, 14¾@15c; rough sides, 14@14¼c; Cumberland middles: 14¼@14¾c; dry salted shoulders, 11¾@12c for loose. Lard, 17¾@17¾c. Receipts past twenty-four hours: 8,200 bbls flour, 24,900 bus wheat, 52,973 bus corn, 31,318 bus oats, 363 bus rye, 350 bus barley, 4,113 hogs. Shipments: 21,799 bbls flour, 56,941 bus wheat, 67,877 bus corn, 25,777 bus oats, 375 bus rye, 350 bus barley, 3,155 hogs. Freights quiet and easier at 5½c for corn, and 5c for wheat to Buffalo, and 10c for wheat to Oswego.

CINCINNATI, May 18.—Cotton firm and in fair demand; low middlings 25¾@26¼c; middlings 27¼c. Tobacco in active demand; sales of 282 hhds at $4@21; the demand has been fully equal to the receipts. Flour and Wheat unchanged. Corn is in better supply and prices are lower, closing at 65@66c for ear. Oats unchanged; No. 2 68@70c. Rye dull at $1,34@1,35. Whisky in demand at 95c. Provisions firmer and prices generally tend upwards. Mess Pork advanced to $31; sales of 700 bbls. Bulk Meats held at 12c for shoulders and 14¼c for sides. Bacon is held at 13@16¼@16¾c, but the demand is light and the rate for clear sides a shade above the views of buyers. Lard was not offered to any extent and sold at 18c, but could not have been bought to any extent at this rate. Butter unchanged, though the supply is better, fresh 35@36c. Cheese 16@19c, and in good supply and fair demand. Eggs 16@17c, the latter rate for recounted. Oil, no change. Sugar steady and in good demand; New Orleans 13½@15c. Molasses 75@80c and firm. Coffee firm, 20@26c. Potatoes dull, 20@30c per bushel and 90c@$1,25 per bbl on arrival. Gold 141¼ buying. Exchange steady, and a good demand for money at 9@10 per centum for the best paper.

ST. LOUIS, May 18.—Tobacco is steady and unchanged. Cotton; nothing doing. Hemp is unchanged at $1,30@1,50 for fair to strictly prime. Flour is dull and low grades are scarce; superfine sold at $4,25@5,25; spring extra at $4,50@4,90, and spring double extra at $5@5,30. Wheat is dull and weak at $1,12@1,13 for No. 2 spring, $1,40@1,47 for good to low choice fall, and $1,80@1,85 for choice to fancy do. Corn is unchanged and in good demand, at 56c for mixed in bulk, and 66@70c in sacks. Oats buoyant and higher, at 66@70c. Barley; nothing doing. Rye is inactive at $1,16@1,20. Whisky is firm at 92c. Groceries are firm and unchanged. Louisiana Sugar, 14@15c for prime to choice plantation. Molasses is held at 63@65c. Rio Coffee; 24½@25c for prime, and 26@26¼c for choice. Provisions are unchanged, at $31 for Pork; packed dry salt shoulders, 15½c; do. clear rib sides 13c; Bacon shoulders, 15½c; plain hams, 20c; canvased sugar cured do. 16½c, and clear rib sides at 16¾c. Lard is in better demand at 17½c for choice. Receipts—2,800 barrels flour, 10,400 bushels wheat, 4,000 bushels corn, 7,100 bushels oats, 3,000 bushels rye, and 600 head of hogs.

BUFFALO, May 18.—Flour dull; city ground spring $6. Wheat in fair demand and a shade easier; sales 23,000 bu No. 2 Chicago at $1,23; 28,800 bu No. 2 Milwaukee at $1,24; 22,500 bu do at $1,23½; 15,000 bu do to arrive at $1,24¼; 55 bu do in lots at $1,25. Corn dull; sales 10,000 bu new at 61c; 10,000 bu new in lots at 62@63c; 8,000 bu choice kiln dried at 70c. Oats dull; sales 2,700 bu western at 70c; 3,500 bu do at 68c. Rye nominal. Barley nominal. Peas nominal at $1,20 delivered. Seeds nominal at $4 for timothy, and $9,25 for clover. Pork steady at $31,50. Lard steady at 18¾@19c. Highwines nominally unchanged.

TOLEDO, May 18.—Flour quiet and steady. Wheat 1@2c lower; amber closes at $1,41 on spot; $1,40 seller June; $1,40½ seller May; $1,41 buyer May; No. 1 white Michigan $1,70; No. 2 red winter $1,30; No. 2 spring $1,20. Corn is 1c better and firm; No. 1 70c; No. 2 61c. Oats is held at 70c for Michigan. Rye is in fair request at $1,17 and none offering. Barley is dull and nominal. Receipts—2,000 bbls Flour; 11,300 bus Wheat; 15,200 bus Corn; 6,700 bus Oats; 50 bus Rye. Shipments—300 bbls Flour; 2,600 bus Wheat; 16,200 bus Corn; 5,800 bus Oats.

LOUISVILLE, May 18.—Sales 254 hhds tobacco at $4,10 to 18. Provisions active; pork $31@31,50; bacon shoulders 13½@13¾; clear sides 17¼; clear rib sides 16¾. Lard steady and unchanged. Groceries firmer; common to strictly choice Rio coffee, 20@27½. New Orleans sugar, 12 to 16 for common to choice; hard standard, 17¼@18 for good to choice. New Orleans molasses 75@85. Whisky held 96@97. Grain steady; corn 67½; oats 70@72. Low middling cotton 25½.

OSWEGO, May 18.—Flour in fair demand, with sales of 2,000 bbls at $6,50 for No. 1 spring, $7,25 for amber winter, $8,00 for white, and $9,00 for double extra. Wheat dull; sales of 7,000 bus No. 2 Milwaukee club at $1,30, and 3,300 bus amber State at $1,55. Corn quiet; sales of 2,400 bush at 68c for new Illinois, and 73@74c for No. 1 Indiana. Barley, Rye and Peas nominal. Corn Meal $1,75. Lake Imports—1,500 bus barley. Canal Exports—4,300 bus wheat.

MILWAUKEE, May 18.—Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat quiet and steady at $1,16¼ for No. 1; $1,13 for No. 2. Oats weak at 58c for No. 2. Corn nominal at 50c for rejected new. Rye quiet at $1,17½ for No. 1. Barley nominally unchanged. Grain freights quiet and unchanged. Receipts—4,000 bbls flour, 49,000 bu wheat, 4,000 bu oats. Shipments—8,000 bbls flour, 118,000 bu wheat.

BALTIMORE, May 18.—Flour dull. Wheat very dull and weak; choice Valley red sells at $2,10. Corn dull; prime white 80@81c, yellow 81@84c. Oats dull at 76@78c for heavy and 73c for light. Rye dull at $1,35@1,45. Mess Pork quiet at $31,50@31,75. Bacon firm: rib sides 16½c; clear do 17½c; shoulders 14½c; hams 19@20c. Lard firm at 19c. Whisky firm and scarce and is held at 99c; some holders ask $1.

CINCINNATI, May 18.—*Cattle market.*—Beef cattle, dull under a large supply and prices 25c lower; common $4,50@5,25; medium $5,25@6,00; extra $7,00@7,50 per cental gross. Sheep in better supply and hardly so firm; sales of 2,690 head at $4,00@6.16 per cental gross. Lambs are bought at $3@4 per head, and in better supply. Hogs firmer, and the demand good at $8,00@9,75 gross.

MEMPHIS, May 18.—Cotton is quiet at 27¼@27½cc; receipts 196; exports none. Flour firmer for fine grades, at $5@5,25 for superfine. Lard at 18@19½c. Hay at $27. Oats at 75c. Pork at $31,75@32. Bacon firm at 13½c for shoulders, and 17¾@17½c for sides. Bulk meats dull at 12½c for shoulders, and 16½c for sides.

CLEVELAND, May 18.—Flour market dull and unchanged. Wheat: No. 1 red winter is held at $1,45; No. 2 do at $1,29; Milwaukee spring at 1,30. Corn held at 70c. Petroleum: refined held at 28@29c for large lots of standard white, and retail lots bring 30½@31c.

DETROIT, May 18.—Wheat receipts; 5000 bushels; market without important changes; No. 1, white winter, at $1,61, No. 2, do., at $1,36@1,37. Corn at 69c. Oats lower at 69c. Mill feed bran at 20c. Coarse middlings at 32c; fine, do., at 27c. Potatoes at 35@38c.

CHICAGO, May 18.—Hogs quiet: closing dull and drooping at $8,50@8,75 for common, $9@9,50 for fair to medium, $9,25@9,50 for good to choice, and a few extra lots at $9,70@9,75. Cattle dull at $5,87½@6,25 for light to good steers.

ST. LOUIS, May 18—*Cattle Market.*—Cattle are steady, retailing at $5@7,50 for good to choice. Hogs in light supply and small demand at 7@8¼c.

### River and Weather.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

LOUISVILLE, May 18.—River rising, with 8 feet 5 inches of water in the Canal. Weather cloudy and cool.

## RIVER NEWS.

The river is falling slowly with five feet ten inches in the channel. Weather cloudy and cool, with indications of more rain.

The Wild Duck and barges departed for St. Louis yesterday afternoon with about all the freight she could take on the water. Pilots—Leander Patterson and Thomas Kinzev.

Capt. Dan Moore has returned from New Orleans, where he left the Australia.

The St. Marys departed for Cincinnati as usual, yesterday.

The Wauanita is the only arrival we have to report. The Glendale, from the same point, is due here to-day.

The Grey Eagle, Capt. Brennan, is the regular packet for Parkersburg to-day, leaving promptly at noon.

The Maggie Hays, Capt. B. C. Martin, did not get off for St. Louis yesterday as expected, but will leave to-day without fail, and passengers and shippers should bear this in mind.

The high headed Leonidas, Capt. Ed. Evans, is announced for New Orleans, forthwith, and the new steamer Matamoras No. 2, is also announced for the same point.

The Lorena and Kate Putnam left St. Louis for Pittsburgh on Saturday, and the Bellevernon, was advertised to leave there for this port to-day. The latter boat went through to St. Paul.

Andy Bunting a well known Pittsburgh and Cincinnati pilot, has withdrawn from the river for the present, having bought the right in three counties of Ohio for a patent churn. We wish him success in his new enterprise.

The Armadillo was at Louisville on Saturday last.

Capt. Samuel Houston has been appointed Supervising Inspector of the Sixth District, in place of Col. J. V. Guthrie. It was generally supposed that Geo. H. Houghton of Louisville would get the appointment, and the selection of Capt. Houston occasions no little surprise, particularly at Louisville. Capt H. is an old Allegheny boy, and was well known to the residents of barefoot square, some fifteen years ago.

—The Armadillo, from St. Paul, has the following items of freight for Pittsburgh: 1,000 pigs lead; 200 bbls flour, 150 sks bran, 10 bales hemp, 100 tons metal, 6 boxes furniture, 16 bbls broken glass, 20 cases concentrated lye, and 2 bbls oil.

—A bride across the Kaw River at Topeka has been contracted for. The work is to consist of 7 equal distant stone piers, built on piles cut off 2 feet below low-water mark. The stone structure is to be 24 feet high. The whole to be finished by October 1, 1869.

—The largest "log jam" ever known on Black River, Wisconsin, was formed this spring on an island near Eaton's mill, about 18 miles north of Neillsville. The jam was 3 or 4 miles long, and the amount of logs it contained was estimated by competent judges to be about 75,000,000 or 80,000,000 feet.

—Capt. J. W. Parker, formerly Capt. of the Northern Line boat Dubuque, and more lately transfer agent at Dubuque, under the Illinois Central, was lately presented by that company with a check for $3,000 for faithful services.

—The Colossal bound to Fort Benton, is reported burned above Yankton, in Missouri River. The report is not credited.

—A steamboat is to run between Corinne—which is situated at the railroad crossing of Bear River, six miles above where it runs into Salt Lake—and Salt Lake City.

—John Chapman, carpenter of the Southern Belle, was drowned from that steamer at St. Louis, on Wednesday last. He had been at work in the wheel, and, it is supposed, lost his footing and fell overboard. His body was not recovered.

—Parties from Eastport, Ala., have contracted with Cobb & Cooper, of New Albany, for a cabin, to be put up on a new boat lying at that port. The cabin is to be ready for delivery within two weeks.

—An Evansville telegram to the Cincinnati *Commercial* says: There was some excitement on board the Louisa last night, as she was about to leave, caused by serving an attachment on Dr. Yates, lessee of the Opera-house, for a small bill in favor of the Journal Company. His baggage was taken possession of, but was afterwards redeemed, by his pledging over the money. The Opera-house Company placed a receiver in the office, in order to secure their rent. He hails from Louisville.

—Capt. Henry Switzer, now commanding the Sully, is now the oldest steamboatman in the line, and he is one of the best. He went from Louisville to New Orleans on a steamboat in 1827, and has been steamboating ever since.

—The towboats A. J. Baker, Tigress, Dick Fulton, Wild Cat and Sam Brown, passed by Cairo on Sunday.

—The Messenger, Pittsburgh to St. Paul, was at Louisville on Sunday.

The Grey Eagle, owing to an accident to her machinery, will not be able to leave for Parkersburg to-day. She will leave on Saturday, as usual.


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## IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILROAD, May 18.—15 cars iron ore, Shoenberger & Blair; 42 do metal, Nimick & Co; 2 do do, Bryan & Caughey; 4 do do, Superior Mills; 1 do do, J W Porter; 4 do do, Union Mills; 21 green hides, G W Hoffstott; 73 do do, G H Anderson; 120 do do, Hammett & Son: 100 bbls flour, J J Kelly; 100 do do, Culp & Shepard; 100 do do, Watt, Lang & Co; 200 do do, Shomaker & Langenheim; 300 do do, D Wallace; 100 do do, J Bonner; 400 do do, owners; 100 do do, E Heazleton; 300 do do, J M Montgomery; 1 car wheat, R Patton, 40 reams paper, Godfrey & Clark; 30 pkgs tubs, Little & Baird; 1 car corn, Bricker & Co; 5 bbls peas, Voigt, Mahood & Co; 11 sks rags, McCullough, Smith & Co; 80 bxs soap, H Riddle; 10 do do, W France & Son; 9 bales twine, 3 do lath, H Gerwig & Co; 54 sks rye, W J Meek; 12 bxs cheese, 42 pkgs tubs, 30 do pails, Watt, Lang & Co; 71 bdls shovels, Myers & Armor; 3 bbls whisky, Kellerman; 22 bgs rags, Pitts Paper Co; 22 bbls rye flour, Jenkins & Bro; 35 tcs hams, F Sellers & Co.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD, May 18.—3 cars stone, J L L Knox; 6 do limestone ore. M'Knight, P & Co; 5 casks. 3 bbls cheese, F Blaner; 2 doz galvanized coal hods, J Reitz; 2 bdls galvanized shoet iron, M'Candless & Co; 2 do do, F Kirby; 10 rolls leather, M DeLange; 1 bx bacon, 6 bgs rage, McCullough, S & Co; 6 bbls apples, Little & Baird; 10 do oil, Wood & L; 13 sks rags, Godfrey & Clark; 2 tcs shoulders, Watt, Lang & Co; 5 bbls eggs, H Rea Jr; 75 bxs starch, Rinehart & S; 10 do do, Strickler & M; 1 bbl do, J Wilson; 10 casks pearls Lyons & Co; 1 car lumber, G A Mudorf; 2 do do, Slack & Sholes; 1 do do, R Schmidt & Co; 1 do do, Rigdon & Co; 100 empty barrels, Lockhart & Frew; 2 cars barley, J M Carson & Co; 221 bbls potatoes, Morrison & D; 1 do bacon, 1 kg apple butter, Duff & Son; 1 bbl eggs, Atwell & Lee.

PITTSBURGH CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD, May 18.—130 hf bbls fish, W H Kirkpatrick; 20 bbls whisky, M M'Cullough; 2 bdls frames, Boyd M & Co; 1 car oats, A Moore; 8 bbls eggs, 1 sk flaxseed, Voigt, M & Co; 8 caddies tobacco, Nicholson & M; 20 tcs hams, Sellers & Co; 4 cars rye, D Wallace; 2 do do, W J Meek; 1 do do, Watt, L & Co; 70 sks do Hitchcock, M'C & Co; 18 do wheat, F Schields; 100 bbls flour, Schomaker & L; 100 do do, Watt, L & Co; 1 car scrap iron, S Harbaugh; 25 hf bbls fish, E Hazelton; 50 do do, Little & Baird.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD, 1 car grain, Hitchcock, M'Creery & Co; 1 do charcoal, Lyon, Shorb & Co; 32 sks rye, Culp & Shepard; 13 do do, 124 do oats, Keil & Ritchart; 1 car lime, D L Reynolds; 22 pkgs butter and eggs, owners; 10 cars railroad iron, C A Carpenter do do, J B Dorrington; 70 bus oats, 30 do wheat, J Campbell; 32 do potatoes, A M'Math; 21 do oats, Bricker & Co; 16 do do, J & A Dietz; 3 pkgs eggs, L & J Blanchard; 3 cars metal, Brown & Co; 2 do do, M'Knight, Porter & Co; 2 do do, J Moorhead.

ALLEGHENY STATION, May 18.—40 bbls lime, J Craig; 35 sks oats, Rose & Ewing; 1 tub cheese, B Jenny; 1 car middlings, Hack & Schwible; 11 sks rags, J M'Kinney; 57 doz rakes, F Simpson; 25 do do, J Lautner; 5 bxs soap, Beckfield & Miehouse; 5 do do, Schleefer & Co; 2 bbls eggs, J Kohen; 12 do do, 17 bgs rags, E Arteneath; 100 bbls flour, Hippley & Beckert; 50 do highwines, H Hespenheide; 100 do flour, R Knox & Son.


## RIVER PACKETS.

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 19, 1869.


## REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Republican voters of Allegheny county are requested to meet at the usual places for holding elections in the several wards, boroughs and townships, on

**SATURDAY, MAY 29th, 1869,**

And elect delegates from each election district to each of the three following Conventions, viz:

Two delegates from each to the COUNTY CONVENTION, for the purpose of nominating candidates for Sheriff, Recorder, Register, Treasurer, Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions, Clerk of the Orphans' Court and Commissioner.

Two other delegates from each to the LEGISLATIVE CONVENTION, for the purpose of nominating one candidate for State Senator, for one year, to fill the unexpired term of Russell Errett, resigned, and six candidates for Assembly. And

Two other delegates from each to the JUDICIAL CONVENTION, to nominate one candidate for Judge of the District Court, and one candidate for Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, and elect eight delegates to represent the county in the Republican State Convention.

These Conventions will severally meet, in the city of Pittsburgh, on

**TUESDAY, JUNE 1, 1869,**

At 11 o'clock A. M., at the following places:

The COUNTY CONVENTION will meet at the COURT HOUSE.

The LEGISLATIVE CONVENTION will meet at CITY HALL, on Market street. And

The JUDICIAL CONVENTION will meet in MASONIC HALL, on Fifth avenue, between Wood and Smithfield streets.

The election of delegates will be held between the hours of 4 and 7 o'clock P. M., and will be held, as far as practicable, by the Republican members of the election boards in the several districts; and in those districts where the Republican election officers are a minority of the regular election boards, the said officers are authorized to appoint enough additional officers to complete the board.

The voting in the cities and boroughs shall, in all cases, be by ballot, and in the townships by marking.

The President of each Convention will appoint a Committee of three, the three Committees thus appointed to meet together, as soon as practicable after the adjournment of the Conventions, and appoint a County Committee for the ensuing year.

By order of the County Committee.

RUSSELL ERRETT, Chairman.
JOHN H. STEWART, Secretary.

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WE PRINT *on the inside pages of this morning's* GAZETTE—*Second page: Poetry, Ephemeris, Miscellany. Third and Sixth pages: Financial, Commercial, Markets, Imports, River News. Seventh page: Plain Questions for Free Traders, Amusement Directory.*

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GOLD closed in New York yesterday at 142¼.

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THE latest English news runs that REVERDY JOHNSON has declined to eat a public dinner. Until fully authenticated, this report will remain wholly unworthy of credit.

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OUR Representative in Congress, Gen. NEGLEY, has given, as may be learned from our local columns, a fresh proof of his title to the most cordial felicitations, not only of his constituents, but of a still wider circle of friends throughout the Commonwealth.

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GOVERNOR GEARY writes to a Philadelphia Committee that he has ever regarded the plain intent of the Congressional eight-hour law to be that it provided for a shorter period of labor, but at the same wages. The Governor pledges his "support of this view of the subject at all times, and wherever his influence may extend."

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THE Congressional Committee on the Census, composed of Representatives GARFIELD, LAFLIN and ALLISON, will organize for their work at Washington, next week, and then adjourn at once to this city. In this adjournment, we presume that no particular purpose is intended, beyond securing a more central and convenient point for labor, and one certainly more comfortable during the approaching heats of summer.

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THE Constitutional validity of any legislative action by the Indiana Representatives, after the destruction of a three-fifths quorum in that body by the resignations of the Democratic members, is to be tested forthwith, before the State Courts. The issue is to be made upon an important appropriation-bill which has or has not passed, as the Courts may decide. In the meantime, the Governor declines to regard the bill as a law.

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WE now have reports from the Spanish island of Porto Rico, which has heretofore seemed to be altogether free from the popular excitement which has agitated Cuba, showing a sudden and marked outburst of turbulent disaffection to the Colonial Government. The reports are probably exaggerated, and will bear as large a discount as it has invariably been found safe to apply to the Cuban advices of the past three months. It is understood that more reliable and minute advices are soon to be received as to the actual state of affairs in the West Indian possessions of Spain.

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THE Cincinnati *Commercial* prints the detailed statistics to show that, from September 30, 1867, to the present date, the total losses of steamboats on the western waters, by the usual forms of disaster have been as follows: Sunk 102; burned 49; exploded 14; in all 165 vessels, with an aggregate tonnage of 34,719. This does not include cases of partial injuries, replaced by subsequent repair, but represents that portion of the steamboat interest on these waters, which has been "wiped out" of existence altogether.

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IT IS SAID that an investigating Committee of the New York Press have reported Mr. J. R. YOUNG to have been guilty of the charge of mis-appropriating its news. His resignation has been accordingly accepted by the *Tribune* Association, the post abolished, and Mr. WHITELAW REID has taken charge of the office-work in his stead. The city-editor of the same paper, a Mr. CLEMENTS, who is reported to have been privy to the same mis-appropriation, has also been discharged.

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THE General Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church meets at Cedarville, Ohio, to-day. We shall have prompt and full reports of its proceedings.

The General Conference of the United Brethren meets at Lebanon, Pa., to-morrow. An exchange says:

This is the highest body in the Church, all legislative authority granted in the Constitution of the Church being vested in it. It meets every four years, and is composed of three delegates from every Annual Conference, who are selected from among the ministers who have been ordained to the office of an elder at least three years previous to the sitting of the General Conference, and who have been for that length of time members of the Annual Conference from which they have been elected. In selecting these delegates the entire membership, male and female, have a vote.

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HESTER VAUGHAN, whose trial and death-sentence for the murder of her child, occupied the public attention about a year ago and at intervals since, has been pardoned. Immediately after she was sentenced, it will be remembered, that many people began, and have since continued, to make extraordinary efforts to effect her release, and, as it seems, have at length accomplished that object, As the Constitution of Pennsylvania now stands, the Governor had but the two horns of the dilemma to choose between, or else, doing nothing, to retain the convict in confinement under a delayed death-warrant. Hester Vaughan, after she received the sentence of death, must either have been hung, or left a life-prisoner, daily liable to execution, or, as is now the case, have gone wholly free. Whatever may have been the extenuating circumstances, or the developments after the trial, the Governor had and has no power to commute the death-penalty when it has once been pronounced. Such being the case, the Executive is necessarily placed in a position of great delicacy, for the instances are many where, after conviction, the guilt, though undeniable, has been discovered to be not so great as to demand life in compensation. An amendment to the State Constitution seems to be the only legal means of empowering the Governor to act justly in such cases by substituting a lower punishment therefor.

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### THE NEW DEMOCRACY.

To no small part of the people of the South, their reconstruction will be made more palatable by the fact that impartial suffrage, under the Fifteenth Article, may thus be imposed upon the North. That Article will disband the last lingering trace of the Northern Democratic organization, and musters the party forever out of existence in these States. Its headquarters are to be at once transferred to the late rebel States, and the rag-tag and bob-tails of the once proud and formidable Democracy of the North will be scattered to the winds, and heard of no more. Changing thus its local habitation, the Democratic party will forswear one of its oldest principles; immemorially a white man's party, it is hereafter to be affectionately devoted to the colored race, among which is to be its new field of labor, and by the aid of which all of its future victories must be won. Thus, the XVth article will work such a transformation of the political morals of the regenerated party, that the mere change of the leopard's spots would be nothing to it. We shall then scarcely be able to recognize the Democracy, in its character of a newly-born philanthropy; indeed, we doubt if the party will really know itself. Their present leaders at the North will do well, about these days, to be looking sharply to the party's latter end.

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### RAILWAY NEWS.

IT IS reported from Toledo that their city authorities have contracted upon favorable terms with Mr. Jay Gould for the construction of a road from that point to the broad-gauge line, probably near Akron. The city agrees to pay to him $240,000 of the municipal bonds and lease to him the road when complete for an indefinite period. The contract is likely to be a good one for both the parties, if faithfully complied with. The people of Toledo have yet to sanction it by a two-thirds vote.

The city of Erie evinces a strong interest in the projected completion of a connection between Oil City and Jamestown, on the P. & E. road. The *Dispatch* says:

The simple result would be, a continuous track without change of grade, or breaking bulk, between this city and the Oil Regions. This would bring into use the long disused machinery of our oil refineries, as it would put refiners on an equal footing with those at Cleveland and other places,—a desideratum that they have long desired and well nigh despared of.

The refiners of Erie, as of Pittsburgh, are quite right in the opinion that no needless obstacles should stand in the way of their successful competition with their Western rivals who, as the case now stands, find a profit in transporting the article both ways, once in its crude state, and again after it is refined. Our own cities are so much nearer to the sources of production, and to the markets of consumption, that we should not be debarred from the legitimate advantages of the more fortunate location. We must add that we shall rejoice to see that revival of the trade at Erie which the *Dispatch* so justly anticipates. Better days are evidently dawning for an important interest of our Commonwealth.

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### THE XVTH ARTICLE.

Without Iowa, whose Legislature has not yet acted at all, and Indiana, whose action is worth but little more, the XVth Article counts thus far twenty-one States for its ratification. Rhode Island and New Hampshire, within six weeks, will make twenty-three. A special session of the Vermont Legislature will furnish the twenty-fourth, if desirable. Virginia, Texas and Mississippi, if organized as States this Summer, will make the number twenty-seven—or one less than the requisite three-fourths. That one can be supplied by a special session of the Iowa Legislature, and in no other way. It is certainly desirable that the great principle of Impartial suffrage should be inaugurated this year, but it will not be, in any of the States which hold general elections in the Autumn, without Vermont or Iowa shall come up to their duty at the earliest practical moment. The new doctrine needs both of those States, for we see not the remotest likelihood of any Federal acceptance of the recent action of Indiana.

Our friends can thus judge of the availability, next October, of a class of votes which, when duly legalized, will be altogether in accord with the Republican party. We *must* carry the three States to be reconstructed, and *must* have special meetings of the two Legislatures. Without these, we need count upon no more strength, at the October polls in Ohio and Pennsylvania, than we have regularly held heretofore. It is well to look the facts in the face, especially for the politicians of these two States, who are now laying out the year's work for the party. All should remember that much preliminary work is yet to be done. If the three Southern States come in, it will be before September, and must be with their ratifications of the Article. There will be no trouble then in getting the special sessions above alluded to, and a speedy proclamation of the ratified Article from the Federal authorities. We are confident that Virginia, Texas and Mississippi will be thus reconstructed, but whether their action, with that of Iowa and Vermont, can be secured before October, is not wholly clear. Only the Virginia election for July is yet ordered; those for the two other States should not be too long deferred.

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### ARE WE READY TO PAY THEM?

The new American Minister goes to England with instructions, in substance, to make known to that Government the reasons for which we have recently rejected the proposed treaty for the settlement of the Alabama claims, and, further, to advise the English Cabinet that any new overtures for an adjustment of that question must come from them, and not from us. And there, it is said, Mr. MOTLEY's instructions stop. For the rest, he is to await the possible events. This is very well, since it is not only in consonance with the preponderating American opinion, but leaves the affair in the most satisfactory posture for English sentiment. We ask nothing, from a people who are at present disposed to concede to us just that and no more. We make no propositions, when it is evident that no propositions, which could be for one moment entertained, are likely to be presented on either side. Events have so completely shut the door upon any possibility of a speedy settlement of the controversy, that it is not worth the while of either party to challenge fresh irritations by new and bootless attempts at a negotiation for which neither party is just now in a proper frame of mind. We have asked what England will never grant; she offers us what we can never accept. The sooner then that the whole business shall be shelved, the better for the peace of two nations. Shelved, it will not be forgotten at once; it leaves a rankling inflammation which only time, and its various issues, can wholly assuage.

The President, the Senate and the country have apparently agreed upon the correct line of policy toward England, and it has been taken accordingly. It only remains to settle another question among ourselves. Are we ready to pay the thirteen millions of money, representing the Alabama claims of our citizens so far as ascertained, out of the Federal Treasury? Our despoilated citizens can make no demand for this money upon a foreign government. Their reclamations must be, and legally may be, wholly upon the government which enjoys their allegiance and owes to them the fullest measure of its protection of life and property. Do what the country pleases with the foreign power which has invaded the rights of individual Americans, the latter have, under the fundamental principles of public law, a just recourse therefor upon the Federal responsibility. If America recovers the amount from England, well! Whether recovered or not, so long as it is justly recoverable, the American sufferers have the clearest of titles to public indemnity from their own government. If possible, that title would be still more clear, when their own government, asserting the justice of these claims, voluntarily forbears to press for their satisfaction by the foreign power which has been at fault.

Always liable, in the theory of law, for the reasonable demands of its own citizens upon a foreign nation, our government makes this liability the more conspicuous by assuming, as it has, the responsibility of delaying or abandoning the proper international reclamation. How long, then, shall our shipowners,—whose property has been spoiled, and who are thus shut out, by our own public acts, from any compensation for the injuries from the power which inflicted them,—be forced to wait for that justice which the American government owes to each and every one of its citizens. We should pay, as we are morally and by public law bound to pay, these claims from the Federal treasury at once—and then defer all international reclamations for the amount as long as suits our interest or our inclinations.

This point—the obligations of government to the governed—has been overlooked quite long enough in this Alabama business. It is quite time that it should have a more general attention.

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### INDIAN UNION.

The Cherokee Indians have so far advanced in civilization as to have abandoned that nomadic and essentially belligerent life which is always associated with all of the aboriginal tribes of North America; they have a simple and regularly organized form of government, and have become an essentially agricultural people. The early history of all the various peoples of the world shows that commencing as wandering hunters and warriors, they have have gradually changed these employments for agriculture and afterwards—never before—learned manufactures, the arts and the sciences. Under the supervision of our government, many of those Indian tribes which were formerly the most savagely barbarious, have been elevated to the agricultural stage of civilization, and the Cheerokees afford the best evidence of the success of an elevating policy.

The expenses necessarily incurred by our own Government in thus promoting the natural course of enlightenment among the savages are very great. In order to lessen these, and at the same time to strengthen these Indian governments, the various tribes are gradually being induced to consolidate. Recently the Delaware nation, numbering nearly two thousand souls, has been incorporated with the Cherokees, transferring their trust-funds to the invested funds of the latter for the purpose of paying for a land-allotment for each Delaware, who thus becomes a settled Cherokee farmer.

The Shawnees, too, the especial terror of the white pioneers on this border eighty years ago, are now negotiating with the Cherokees for a similar consolidation.

It is the intention of the Indian Bureau to encourage, as much as possible, the consolidation of the various tribes in this way, thereby saving much trouble and expense. When we reflect that it is but a short time, comparatively, since these very Indians were as savage and as much a terror to the borders as are the Sioux and Cheyennes of to-day, we must believe that those tribes, too, in the not very distant future, will be induced to change their war-paint for a more civilized and comfortable garb and to beat their spears into more peaceful weapons. We believe, too, that under the present wise policy of the Indian Bureau this devoutly to be wished for consummation may soonest be reached.

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THE *personnel* of some of the leading women in the New York Convention is thus given by a correspondent: Mrs. Stanton, with her snowy curls, occupies the chair, Olive Logan, eminently more womanly in appearance in her dainty walking suit of drab, than in her lyceum blue velvet, occupies a seat near by. Next sits Lucy Stone, and, as we look on this picture, this sweet-faced, womanly woman, dressed in black silk, with dainty lace ruffles at the throat and wrist, and then on that bloomer-arrayed picture of our childish imagination, we thought ah, how these women have been misunderstood. Miss Phebe Couzzens, the girl orator and law-student of St. Louis, is also seated upon the platform, and attracts considerable attention. Miss Lily Peckham, of Milwaukee, in appearance realizing one's idea of a minister's wife, seems possessed of considerable executive ability.

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THE New York *Star* says: We see that an announcement is made by the Tammany Amusement Company which is calculated to send a cold shiver down the back of every one who respects human life and limb. The elder Rizarelli—a wonderfully clever gymnast, it is true, and one of the surest of his craft—is to perform his perilous feat of turning a somersault in the air at a fearful altitude and alighting upon a single rope, *blindfolded and enveloped in a sack!* This, it seems to us, is going a little too far on the sensational road.

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THE congratulatory address which the German Catholics sent to Pope Pius IX. on the occasion of the fiftieth anniversary of the day when he first became a priest, was signed by King John of Saxony, his Crown-Prince Albert and Prince George. Six German bishoprics furnished over four hundred thousand signers of the address. Very substantial presents were sent to the Pope from many German cities. Thus Munster sent to him 24,000 thalers, Breslau 20,000 thalers, Paderborn 19,000 thalers, etc.

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### Washington Items.

The disbursing officer of the Treasury has refused to pay the requisitions of the Navy Department which have been signed by Admiral Porter, his only authority for doing so being the recent order of the Secretary of the Navy to commandants of navy yards to obey all instructions signed by the Admiral the same as if they had emanated from himself.

In compliance with the law of Congress, the Navy Department will in a few days rename most of the larger vessels of the navy, calling ships of the first class after the States, and those of the second class after the principal rivers and cities. The late Secretary of the Navy paid no attention to this act, and bestowed Indian appellations on all the new ships.

The question as to pensions due to widows of soldiers who subsequently marry, has been under advisement lately, by the Pension Commissioners and Secretary Cox. The point was whether a widow, after her marriage, could claim the pension due to date of the second marriage, when the claim had not been previously made. By reference to the opinion of Attorney General West she would be entitled. Other opinions, however, have been given, but it is probable the opinion of West will be sustained.

The Census Committee will meet here on the 25th, General Garfield Chairman. After organization they will adjourn to Pittsburgh, for what particular purpose has not yet been developed. The Committee is an able and practical one, however, and with such men as Garfield, Allison and Laflin, a system for the census of 1870 should be matured which should make the work wonderful for its thoroughness and accuracy.

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### Dividing Man Against Himself.

The Woman's Suffrage Association of New York, have split into two parties. On Saturday evening a new society was organized, called the National Woman's Suffrage Association. The object of this move is made for the purpose of ridding the suffrage movement of lunatics and brawlers. Some shrewd politicians were called in to advise with the women on Saturday evening. They favored the total exclusion of men, even from membership in the new society, urging that they would not be aids, but obstacles rather, to its smooth working and practical efficiency. The matter was settled, and the affair is to be entirely under the control of women.

But the ladies seem to forget that it takes both the male and the female to constitute a man. Says the Good Book: "In the day that God created man, in the likeness of God made he him; male and female created he them and called their name Adam (a man) in the day when they were created." Upon which a Boston clergyman comments as follows: "The distinctive masculine characteristics are those in which the understanding takes the lead; and the distinctive feminine characteristics are those in which will or affection takes the lead. Man is more frequently governed by his judgment and reason, woman by her feelings and perceptions. Not, indeed, that all intellect belongs to the male sex, and all affection to the female. But the two classes of faculties comprised under these heads respectively, predominate in them. When men and women come together in a good and orderly way, they supply, each to the other, just what is wanted. They fill out a more perfect measure of a man."

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### A Word for the Sparrows.

The *Journal of Commerce* has a correspondent who adds his testimony to the harmlessness of the sparrows in public parks. He says:

In four of our city parks they have annihilated the measuring-worm, after many years of experiments and of unsufferable annoyance to ladies and children, especially. In every park and street where they were properly provided for they diminished the effect of the mosquito invasions very perceptibly. They afford constant and durable interest and amusement to our families, and particularly to our children, and lessen the rigors of winter and storms by their cheerful notes and antics and visits to our windows, even when the thermometer is near zero, and it softens our natures to care for these little strangers. In a walk from Fourteenth to Forty-eighth street, to-day, I was seldom out of the sound of their music. Baron von Tschudi, the eminent Swiss naturalist, says that without birds successful agriculture is impossible, as they annihilate in a few months a greater number of destructive insects than man could in years. He classes among the most useful the swallow, wren, robin and sparrow, and says that a robin killed 800 flies in an hour, and a pair of sparrows carried 300 worms or caterpillars to their nest in a day. In three years' observation daily I have not seen them touch any of our small fruits, nor the buds of fruit trees.

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### Presbyterian Union.

The General Assemblies of both the Old and new School branches of the Presbyterian Churches meet in New York, on Wednesday, (19th,) and, during the present session it is expected the work of uniting these two powerful religious organizations, will be completed. Their proceedings will be watched with the deepest interest by the religious world and their union will be the first step towards uniting under one communion head all the various divisions of Presbyterians. This union cannot but prove advantageous to the cause of Christianity. The trifling differences between them have been the cause of bitter antagonism, that have been prejudicial to the interests of the churches of the Presbyterian faith, and were the result of prejudices that should long since given way to reason and a liberal Christian spirit. The prospect that the bigotry which has heretofore separated Christians espousing a common faith shall soon disappear, is an encouraging sign of the times, and the consummation of the proposed union will be hailed with joy by all evangelical denominations. Many of the ablest and most devoted divines of both churches are most earnestly engaged in promoting the work of reconciliation and consolidation.

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A MARINE velocipede is the centre of attraction on the wharf at Saginaw, Michigan. It is made of tin about twenty feet long; very sharp and pointed at the ends; not more than fifteen inches wide, and is propelled by a wheel under the middle, similar to the screw propeller of larger crafts. The motion is given to the wheel by cranks attached to the shafting by bevel gear. The steerage apparatus is also in the centre of the boat and worked by the feet. The boat for the space of ten feet from each end has air tight chambers.

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—A Salt Lake dispatch of the 17th says: At ten o'clock this morning Brigham Young broke the first ground on the Utah Central Railroad, near Weber river, immediately below Ogden City. It is expected the road will be completed to this city by October next.

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### THE REASON WHY

Dr. Keyser's Blood Searcher is the best. It is computed that a man's system undergoes three times a year, that is every four months, a radical and thorough change, that is, that at the end of that time nothing remains in the system of the material of which it was composed before that time. The eliminating organs carry out the worn-out and used-up material, and new matter is made to take its place and carry on the workings of the human organism. The cost of four months treatment in this way would not at the outside be more than ten dollars, and frequently the functions of life have an activity and vigor imparted sufficient to renew them by the use of one bottle, costing only one dollar. No organ of the body but will be benefitted by such a process. The liver, the stomach, the kidneys, the skin, the lungs, are all, as it were, made over again by the impetus given to the stomach and digestive system—old and prostrated people whose systems had begun to languish and decay, have been restored by DR. KEYSER'S BLOOD SEARCHER to youthful health and vigor. Especially is this medicine suitable at this season of the year, when the dormant powers of life, like all the rest of nature are emerging from the chilling and torpid state usual to the cold and wintry months. We know very well that all advertised medicines are apt to be regarded as useless and nugatory, but with DR. KEYSER'S BLOOD SEARCHER we feel perfectly secure in the promise that it must do good. Country merchants and those who supply others with needful things for their wants cannot confer a greater service than to keep a few bottles of this valuable medicine on their shelves to supply their wants. Dr. Keyser will take back every half dozen that remains unsold. It at the same time affords the merchant a good profit, and to those who need it, it is of more value than silver and gold, for what can be of more value to man than a medicine which carries health and life to the suffering invalid?

We earnestly entreat all who read this to try one bottle of Dr. Keyser's Blood Searcher if they need such a medicine, and we will guarantee satisfaction. In order, however, not to be disappointed, let them buy none but that which has Dr. Keyser's name over the cork and blown in the bottle, and in that way the Doctor will hold himself responsible for its results when the directions are closely followed.

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### LET US PROTECT OURSELVES.

The physical structure of the strongest human being is vulnerable everywhere. Our bodies are endowed by nature with a certain negative power, which protects them, to some extent, from unwholesome influences; but this protection is imperfect, and cannot be safely relied on in unhealthy regions, or under circumstances of more than ordinary danger. Therefore, it is wisdom; it is prudence; it is common sense to provide against such contingencies, by taking an ANTIDOTE IN ADVANCE; in other words, by fortifying the system with HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS—the most complete protective against all the epidemic and endemic maladies that has been administered in any country. As a remedy for Dyspepsia, there is no medicine that will compare with it. Whoever suffers the pangs of indigestion, anywhere on the face of the earth where HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS can be procured, does so voluntarily; for, as surely as truth exists, this valuable TONIC and ALTERATIVE would restore his disordered stomach to a healthy condition. To the nervous it is also especially recommended, and in cases of confirmed constipation it also affords speedy and permanent relief. In all cases of fever and ague the BITTERS is more potent than any amount of quinine, while the most dangerous cases of bilious fever yield to its wonderful properties. Those who have tried the medicine will never use another, for any of the ailments which the HOSTETTER BITTERS professes to subdue. To those who have not made the experiment we cordially recommend an early application to the BITTERS which never they are stricken by disease of the digestive organs.

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# APES & DOGS.

## SPRING STOCK

AT

# OLIVER M'CLINTOCK & COMPANY'S.

We are receiving this week by ocean steamers from England a fresh stock of the latest and most beautiful designs in English Tapestry and Body Brussels by direct importations from the manufacturers. We invite the inspection of house furnishers, confident that we offer the largest assortment and greatest variety of elegant patterns ever brought to this market, at the lowest prices.

Great inducements are offered in all grades of Ingrains and Three Plies, it being their constant aim to offer to the multitude, the fullest assortment of cheap and serviceable Carpets at lower rates than any other house in the trade.

**No. 23 FIFTH AVENUE.**

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

☞ **NOTICE. — ALLEGHENY** City Republican Executive Committee will meet on THURSDAY EVENING, May 20, at the office of W. P. PRICE, No. 21 Diamond. All members of the Committee are requested to be present.
By order of the Chairman.
my19 JOSEPH P. SPRAGUE, Secretary.

**STRAYED OR STOLEN.—From** the premises of the subscriber, a SMALL MOUSE COLORED MULE, with a head halter on him. A suitable reward will be given for the return of or information that will lead to his recovery. Word can be left at the office of the Grant Coal Works, at the south side of the Monongahela bridge. NEGLEY & CO.

**OPENING.**

We shall open a stock of SUMMER MILLINERY in our Retail Department, SATURDAY, MAY 22d.
J. H. WARNER,
55 Fourth avenue,
corner Market street.
my19:j54

**IMPROVED PROPERTY AND** VACANT GROUNDS in old Seventh ward, FRIDAY AFTERNOON, May 21st, at 3 o'clock, will be sold on the premises, in old Seventh ward, now Eleventh ward, on Ridge street, opposite upper basin, the valuable property of the undersigned, who is determined to make a positive sale, as he intends to permanently remove from Pittsburgh. There are in all 324 feet front on Ridge street, and 155 feet, more or less, in depth to brow of hill. The improvements are the excellent Brick Dwelling occupied by himself, which is 32 by 40 feet, with 10 rooms and cellars, to which can be given from 50 to 200 feet front on Ridge street.
ALSO, two Brick Dwellings of 3 to 5 rooms each, and two Frame Dwellings, each of 3 rooms and cellar. These four houses occupy lots of 24 feet front each on Ridge street.
THOMAS BYRNE.
my12 A. McILWAINE, Auctioneer.

**MRS. STOWE'S NEW NOVEL.**

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By HARRIET BEECHER STOWE, author of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," "Agnes of Sorrento," &c. One volume, 12mo. 608 pages. $2 00.

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**RICH PRINTED PERCALES,**
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Of the celebrated manufacture of STEINBACH, KOECHLIN & CO.
Lupin's Spring and Summer Fabrics and other French and British Dress Goods.
Silks and Shawls. Also, the entire balance of Lupin's superb quality Summer Fabrics, on FRIDAY, MAY 21st, 1869, at 10 o'clock, through
**FURNESS BRINLEY & CO., Auc'rs,**
615 CHESTNUT ST., PHILA.
my19:j55 BENKARD & HUTTON.

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*No. 100 Third Avenue,*
Upholsters and Dealers in Curtain Goods,

Direct the attention of their friends and the public to their finely assorted stock of Lace and Nottingham Curtains Vestibule Laces, Damask Reps, Ferry's Mexican cloth, Satin, Delanes, Gilt Cornices, Gilt and Walnut Mouldings, Spring Beds of superior make, Hair Matrasses (pure white hair.) Pillows, Bolsters, and everything pertaining to a first class bed. The latest Paris and Berlin designs for Draperies at the inspection of their customers. Pure white Eastern Show Feathers always on hand.

**HOLTZMAN & WIEDERHOLD,**
NO. 100 THIRD AVENUE.
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**C. G. HAMMER & SONS**
(Late of the firm of Hammer & Dauler,)

At their new establishment, No. 48 SEVENTH AVENUE, have a large stock of elegant and fashionable
**PARLOR,**
LIBRARY & BEDROOM FURNITURE
AT VERY REASONABLE PRICES.

We have erected a large Factory, and are prepared to fill all orders on shortest notice. We flatter ourselves of always having made good work, and it will always be our endeavor to continue, having a large number of experienced workmen, and a foreman of 26 years experience at the trade to superintend all work before leaving the Factory. We use no machinery; all our work is made by hand, and for durability and elegance it cannot be excelled.
my8:j1 C. G. HAMMER & SONS.

**COTTON.—23 bales on steamer** FANNIE BRANCHES, to arrive, for sale by ISAIAH DICKEY & CO.

**DRIED PEACHES.—100 bush** for sale by J. B. CANFIELD.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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**WINDOW SHADES,**
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"It is truly wonderful in conception, sweet and beautiful in execution, and stirs the soul by the grand and awful revelations it brings before it. We do not hesitate to pronounce it the greatest sacred poem that has been written in modern times."—S. S. Times.

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Done promptly to order at 161 Lacock street, Allegheny City, by
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The best attention will be given to all who want anything in our line. We always keep a large lot of turned work, such as Balusters, Newl Posts, Hubs, &c. Also, a good stock of dry Walnut, Cherry and other lumber on hand.
my11:j7 P. LEBZELTER & CO.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, Pittsburgh, May 7, 1869.
**NOTICE.—The Assessments for** grading, paving and curbing Townsend street from Wylie street to Decatur street, and Vine alley from Federal street to Washington street, are now
READY FOR EXAMINATION,
And can be seen at this office until TUESDAY, May 18th, 1869, when they will be returned to the City Treasurer's office for collection.
H. J. MOORE,
my7:190 CITY ENGINEER.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, PITTSBURGH, May 17, 1869.
**NOTICE TO STONE MASONS.**
SEALED PROPOSALS for constructing a culvert across
**LARIMER AVENUE,**
Near the residence of John Scott, will be received at this office until SATURDAY, May 22d, and also for grading and macadamizing said avenue from Station to Spring street. Plans and specifications can be seen at this office.
H. J. MOORE,
my17:j39 City Engineer.

**CO-PARTNERSHIP.**

HENRY HIGBY has this day associated with him in the China, Glass and Queensware business, his brother,
ALBERT HIGBY,
The style of the firm to be
**H. HIGBY & CO.**
PITTSBURGH, May 12, 1869. my13:113

**SEALED PROPOSALS Will be** received at the DOLLAR SAVINGS BANK until the 22d inst. for supplying the materials and building the foundation walls of the Dollar Savings Bank Building.
Also, for the carpentry work and lumber necessary to complete the building.
Also, for the brick work and bricks, including all arches and interior work.
Also, for the iron work necessary according to the plans and specifications. The articles to be itemized.
Copies of the specifications can be obtained and plans seen at the Dollar Savings Bank, No. 65 Fourth avenue.
ISAAC H. HOBBS & SONS,
my15:j34 Architects.

**STRAW**
**HATS,**
**ALL THE NEW STYLES.**
AT THE LOWEST PRICES, AT
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A large and complete assortment always on hand. Families and all others in want of a good pump at a very low price, which we warrant, should see this. The best and cheapest pump in the market.
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General Wholesale Agent,
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**HARRY ALGEO,**
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LATE ST. CLAIR,
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**J. B. YOUNGSON & CO.,**
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At 50 cts., Bleached Table Linen.

Sheeting Muslins,
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Table Linens,
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Cloths,
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**WASHING MACHINE!**

It washes the finest fabrics, without injury, perfectly clean in less than one-eighth the ordinary way. It does not rub the cloth, but performs the cleaning process by steam and the quick action of hot water; it can be operated by a child. Its great cheapness makes it accessible to every family and saves its own cost in doing away with tubs.

PRICE, $15.

Sold from the Manufactory, at
THOMAS MERKEL'S,
PENN ST., OPPOSITE THE FAIR GROUND.

☞ **AGENTS WANTED.** ap15:h51

CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE, ALLEGHENY CITY, PA., May 17, 1869.
**NOTICE.—The Assessments for** Grading and Paving of
WARD ALLEY,
From Allegheny avenue to Sedgwick street, are now ready for examination, and can be seen at the office of the City Engineer until MAY 25th, 1869, when they will be placed in the hands of the City Treasurer for collection.
CHARLES DAVIS,
my18:j53 City Engineer.

**GRAY'S FERRY**
**PRINTING INK WORKS.**
**C. E. ROBINSON,**
MANUFACTURER OF
Black and Colored Printing & Lithographic
**INKS, VARNISHES, &C.**
Gray's Ferry Road and 33d Street,
fe16:e60 PHILADELPHIA.

**FRESH SHAD RECEIVED** daily at BENJAMIN PULPRESS popular Fish Stand, No. 45 Diamond Market, Pittsburgh, and at the Twin City, Allegheny City, corner of Ohio and Federal streets. Can be had all kinds of Sea and Lake fish, Halibut, Shad, Soak, Codfish, Haddock and Eel. Also, large supplies of White, Lake Fish, Salamon, Bass, Sturgeon, Herring and Macinaw Trout, which enables us to sell at the lowest market prices, wholesale or retail. We invite all lovers of Fresh Fish to give us a call, and we will insure them a treat. mh25

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MANUFACTURER OF
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mh10:17 Pittsburgh

**ACADEMY OF SCIENCE, 101** Federal Street, Allegheny, (Savings Bank Building.) Spring term begins
**MONDAY, APRIL 5th, 1869.**
For circulars, &c., apply to
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**CEMEMT—100 bbls Louisville** Hydraulic Cement, for sale by J. B. CANFIELD

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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**NEW SPRING SKIRTS.**
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**SEMPLE'S,**
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ALLEGHENY CITY.

UNITED STATES INTERNAL REVENUE, TWENTY-THIRD DISTRICT.
**COLLECTOR'S NOTICE.**
OFFICE COLLECTOR INTERNAL REVENUE 23d Collection District of Pennsylvania, No. 67 Water St., Allegheny City, May 18, '69.
Notice is hereby given that the annual lists of SPECIAL TAXES, formerly termed LICENSES, and of the taxes on
Incomes, Carriages, Watches, Silver Plate,
&c., are now in this office, where payment will be received thereon by the Collector on and after the 1st DAY OF JUNE, 1869.
These taxes, having become due, must be paid before the 25th DAY OF JUNE, 1869; otherwise, additional expenses will be incurred by the tax-payer.
E. BUFFINGTON, Esq., Deputy Collector of the county of Armstrong, and EDWIN LYON, Esq., Deputy Collector for the county of Butler, will be ready to receive, after the 1st of June, for their respective counties, and will post notices designating the times and places, when and where they will be prepared to receive the taxes collectable by them.
Taxes payable only in greenbacks or national currency.
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.
JOHN M. SULLIVAN,
my18:j51 COLLECTOR.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER, ALLEGHENY CITY, PA., May 15th, 1869.
**NOTICE**
**IS HEREBY GIVEN**
**TO ALL PROPERTY HOLDERS**
IN THE
**CITY OF ALLEGHENY,**
That on and after the 20th DAY OF MAY, 1869, the act of Assembly providing for the registry of lots in the City of Allegheny, of which the 3d and 4th sections are hereunto appended, will be enforced:
SECTION 3. To enable the Engineer to keep up the books of said plans, it shall be the duty of all parties acquiring real estate by purchase, will, descent, partition or otherwise to make report to him of such conveyance or transfer, with the precise dimensions and locality of the premises and so doing the same shall be received without charge and noted on the deed or title paper by the City Engineer or his assistant, but if the said party or parties acquiring real estate as aforesaid shall omit or neglect said duty, they shall be subject to such fine or fines as hereinafter set forth and provided for in Section 4th of this Act; and the Recorder of Deeds of said county of Allegheny shall not admit the deed of conveyance to record in his office, and any Recorder of Deeds who shall admit to record any deed of conveyance of a lot or part of lot within the City of Allegheny, which has not been registered, shall for each offence be subject to a fine of five dollars, to be recovered by summary conviction or by penal action in the name of the City of Allegheny, before the Mayor or any Alderman of said city, and shall be liable to indictment for misdemeanor in office.
SECTION 4. It shall be the duty of all owners of houses and lots to furnish forthwith descriptions of their property to the Engineer to aid him in making up his Books of Plans; and whensoever such descriptions shall have been so furnished and the certificate of the Engineer or his assistant, shall be received, no property so returned shall be subject to sale for taxes or other municipal claims, hereafter to accrue as a lien of record thereon, except in the name of the owner as returned and after recovery by suit and service of the writ on him made as in case of a summons.
And on and after that date all deeds or title papers pertaining to property within said limits must be presented at this office for registry as by law required.
CHAS. DAVIS,
my15:j36 City Engineer.

**ICE! ICE! ICE!**
**WM. KREBS,**
ICE DEALER,
No. 55 Diamond Alley,
PITTSBURGH, PA.
☞ Orders addressed to W. KREBS, Eighth ward, Allegheny, will receive prompt attention. Wagons running in Pittsburgh and Allegheny.
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**APPLICATION to sell liquors** filed in the Clerk's office.
Martin Freudenrich, tavern, Ætna borough.
The License Board will sit for hearing the above application on the 31st of May, 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
J. G. BROWN, Clerk.
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**INSTALLMENT NOTICE.—The** Stockholders of the Mercantile Library Hall Company are hereby notified that the fifth installment, THREE DOLLARS per share, has been this day called payable on or before May 15th, 1869, at the office of N. Holmes & Sons, 57 Market street.
By order of the Board.
JAMES H. WRIGHT, Treasurer.
Pittsburgh, May 4, 1869. my6:190

## NOTICES.

☞ **NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.**

**Chartiers Valley Railway Letting.**

PROPOSALS will be received at the office of the undersigned at Steubenville, Ohio, until SATURDAY, MAY 29th, 1869, for the grading, bridging and ballasting of 14 miles of the Chartiers Valley Railway, between Mansfield and Canonsburgh. Map, profile and statement of quantities can be seen, and detailed information will be given at the Engineer's Office, in Steubenville, after Saturday, 15th inst.
M. J. BECKER,
STEUBENVILLE, May 10, 1869. Engineer.
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☞ **PUBLIC NOTICE.**

Pursuant to an act of Assembly, approved the 20th of March, 1869, entitled "an act relating to interments in Trinity Church-yard, Pittsburgh," Public Notice is hereby given of the intention of the minister, wardens and vestry of Trinity (Episcopal) Church after the 10th of MAY, proximo, to use a part of the grave-ground belonging to or connected with said church, as sites for new erections of Church and Chapel and for grades, and that Messrs. JOHN H. SHOENBERGER, JAMES M. COOPER, DAVID ADAMS and JOSIAH KING, of the vestry, have been appointed a Committee to confer and arrange with the friends and relatives of all persons buried in the ground required for the purposes set forth in the act of Assembly aforesaid, for their retention under the new buildings or removal to other parts of the lot or to one of the rural cemeteries. One or more of the Committee may be found at the vestry room of the church at 3 to 5 o'clock P. M., on every WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY until the 15th of MAY, at which time and place parties interested will please call.
By order of the Vestry.
JOSIAH KING,
ap16:h59 Junior Warden.

☞ **PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD COMPANY.**
TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT.
PHILADELPHIA, May 3d, 1869.
NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.
The Board of Directors have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of FIVE PER CENT. on the capital stock of the Company, clear of National and State taxes, payable in cash on and after May 30 1869.
Blank powers of attorney for collecting dividends can be had at the office of the Company, No. 238 S. Third street.
The office will be opened at 8 A. M. and closed at 4 P. M. from May 30 to June 5, for the payment of dividends, and after that date from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.
THOMAS T. FIRTH, Treasurer.
NOTE.—The Third Instalment on New Stock of 1868 is due and payable on or before June 15.
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☞ **PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD CO.**
TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT.
PHILADELPHIA, PA., April 3, 1869.
TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD COMPANY.
All Stockholders, as registered on the Books of this Company on the 30th day of April, 1869, will be entitled to subscribe for TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT. of their respective interests in New Stock, at par, as follows:
*First.* Fifty per cent. at the time of subscription, between the 15th day of May, 1869, and the 30th day or June, 1869.
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*Third.* That every Stockholder holding less than four shares, shall be entitled to subscribe for one share; and those holding more than a multiple of four shares shall be entitled to subscribe for an additional share.
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**FEDERAL OIL COMPANY.—**
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All parties are hereby notified that dividends, reclaimed for a period of six months, will be disposed of according to law.
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## FINANCE AND TRADE.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, TUESDAY, May 18, 1869.

Gold, which had touched 142¾ yesterday and declined to 141½, closing at 141⅞; opened at 141⅞, declined to 141½ and after again having risen to 142¼, closed at 142¼. The force of speculation seems to have spent itself and the short interest outstanding at 131 to 133 seems to be pretty well covered; such is the opinion of the best informed men in Wall street. There is no doubt that any man who needs gold for business purposes will find no difficulty in supplying himself at lower rates, if he has a little courage or nerve, to use a common expression. All what might bring about higher rates would be a rise of the rate of interest by the Bank of England, in which event our bonds would suffer a decline of several per cent, and gold would further advance. A large number of investors of bonds have also set their figure at 120 for bonds, and will dispose of them, which would give a liberal supply to the market.

It is rather a strange sight so see government bonds advanced, or in other words to see government credit appreciated at home and in Europe, whilst the circulating medium should be so discredited in a manner which must seriously touch the most vital part of our inland commerce. The first effect will be the flooding of the country with imported goods bought for cheap gold now lying unsaleable in the warehouse, which will command renumerative prices when gold advances, and will find a ready market.

Government bonds touched 120 for 1867's and Ten-Forties 110, with a strong market for to-morrow.

Stocks are less firm and rather feverish. Money easy.

Qnotations as received by Ph. R. Mertz: Gold, 142¼; Silver, 131; Eighty-one's, 122¾; Five Twenties, 1862, 121⅞; do 1864, 116⅞; do 1865, 118¾; do 1865, Consols, 119⅞; do 1867, 120; do 1868, 119¾; Ten Forties, 109⅞; New York Central, 82¾; Erie, —; Reading, 92½; Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Railroad, 93¼; Ohio & Mississippi, 33¾; Michigan Southern, 106¾; Cleveland & Pittsburgh, 93¼; Chicago & Rock Island, 27¼; Chicago & North Western, 91¾; Chicago & North Western Preferred, 102¼; Adams Express Company, 60¾; Merchants Union Express, 15; Pacific Mail, 94⅝; Western Union Telegraph Company, 44; Gregory, 2,75; Quartz Hill, 1,20; Smith & Parmlee, 3,05; Am. Express, 40¼.

—Closing quotations received by James T. Brady & Co. Gold, 142¼; United Sates Sixes, 1881, 122¾; Five-Twenties, 1862, 121⅞; do. 1864, 116⅞; do. 1865, 118; Ten-Forties, 109⅞; Five-Twenties, January and July, 1865, 119¾; do. do. 1867, 120; do. do. 1868, 119¾; Seven-Thirties, par less, ⅛; Due Compounds, 119; Union Pacific Railroad, par; Central do. do., 103; Cy. Pacifics, 101½.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

NEW YORK, May 18, 1869.

Money is easy at 6@7 per cent. on call. Discounts are unchanged. Sterling is quiet but firm, at 109⅜@109½. Gold is firmer, and though quieter in the forenoon, the market was active and excited in the latter part of the day. The rumor of the failure of another German banking house ran the market up, which was followed by a reaction, when the rumor proved unfounded; then the report that Grant had decided to take a firm stand on the Cuba and Alabama questions, and that a rupture was likely to take place between him and the Secretary of State, again occasioned an advance, from which there was but little decline at the close, and prices opened at 141⅜, fell to 141⅜, advanced to 142⅜, fell to 141¾, advanced to 142½, and closed at 142¼. The rates for carrying were 7 to 2 per cent. Clearances, $143,000,000.

There are no new developments concerning the Schepeler failure, except that it is a bad one, and that very little will be paid. The losses fall on wealthy houses here and abroad who are able to sustain them without endangering their own solvency. Governments are again active and higher, the figures being the highest yet reached; German and English houses are free buyers of all descriptions, while some shorts have been covered and some new speculations have been induced. Short interest is, however, the largest ever known; the supply here is very small, and Europe can draw but a meagre amount this season, which will necessitate purchases in their own markets, and appreciate prices and prepare a way for the funding at lower rates of interest.

Coupons of '81, 122¾@123; do '62, 122¼@122¾; do '64, 117¾@117¼; do '65, 118¼@118¾; do new, 120½@120¾; do '67, 120¼@120⅝; do '68, 120⅜@120⅝; 10-40's, 110@110½; Pacifics, 107½. State bonds heavy. Missouris, 88⅝@88¾; old Tennessees, 68; new, 65@65¼; old North Carolinas, 59¼@60¼; new 55¼@55⅝; old Virginias, 57¾@58¼; new, 62@@63; new Lousianas, 68@68½@70.

Stocks opened with a more unsettled feeling and steadily advanced during the forenoon. The features were the Vanderbilt stocks, Michigan Southern, North Western, Rock Island and Fort Wayne. The Vanderbilt stock was stimulated by reports that the Governor will sign the S. O. R. C. certificate legislation bill and also the railroad consolidation bill. Illinois Central is noticably unusually active. The market was dull in the early part of the afternoon and prices all lower, Rock Island leading the list down to 125: subsequently the market was again firmer, with a recovery from the lowest point, and closed strong—the highest prices of the day being realized on New York Central, Michigan Southern, Lake Shore and Illinois Central.

5-30 *Prices*-Cumberland, 30¼@30¾; Wells Express, 34¾@34⅞; American, 40@40¾; Adams, 61¼@61½; United States, 65¼@65¾; Merchants Union, 15½; Quicksilver, 19½@19½; Canton, 62½@62½; Pacific Mail, 94⅝@94¾; Western Union Telegraph, 43⅞@44; Hartford and Erie, 22¾@23; Mariposa, 23¾@24; preferred, 49¼@49½; New York Central, 183½@183⅝; Erie, 29⅝@29¾; do preferred, 51¼@52; Hudson, 156⅜@156⅝; Harlem, 148¼@149; Reading, 96¼@96¾; Chicago and Alton, 156@159; Terre Haute, 39½@40; preferred, 73; Wabash, 74¾@74¾; pref, 82; St. Paul, 77⅜@77⅝; preferred, 87@87½; Ft. Wayne, 153¼@153⅝; Ohio and Mississippi, 33⅜@33¾; Michigan Central, 126; Michigan Southern, 106¾@107½; Illinois Central, 146¾@147; Pittsburgh, 93½; Lake Shore, 106⅜@106½; Rock Island, 125¾@126; Northwestern, 91¾@91½; do preferred, 102½@102¾; Dubuque and Sioux City, 116; St. Joseph preferred, 116; C. C. and I. C., 45.

Mining shares dull.

Copper stocks at Boston: Copper Falls, 8; Franklin, 19; Hancock, 4.

Receipts of Sub-Treasury, $1,482,223; Payments, $1,458,432; Balance, $84,886,237; Disbursements coin interest, $183,369.

### PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, TUESDAY, May 19, 1869.

There is nothing in the general markets deserving of special notice, with the exception, perhaps, that the demand for almost everything appears to be falling off, and compared with last week, prices generally are lower.

APPLES—Almost out of season, and the supply is nearly exhausted.

APPLE BUTTER—Sales at 1@$1,10.

BUTTER—Continues very dull and prime to choice Roll is offering freely, at 30@32c.

BEANS—Dull and lower, with sales of prime small white at $2,25@2,50.

CHEESE—Sales of new Western Reserve at 18@20c.

CARBON OIL—Is quoted in a jobbing way at 29@30.

CORNMEAL—$1,50@1.75 per cwt.

DRIED FRUIT—Dull but unchanged. Peaches, 14 for quarters, and 18 for halves. Apples, 13@15 cts.

EGGS—Dull but unchanged, at 16@17.

FEATHERS—Quoted at 80 cts to the trade and the usual advance for small lots in store.

FLOUR—Is quiet and unchanged. Sales in store at $6,50@7,25 for Spring Wheat brands, and $7,50@8 for Winter Wheat. Rye Flour, $7, and dull.

GRAIN—Wheat is dull and prime Red is nominal at $1,50. Oats dull, with sales to arrive, buyer furnishing sacks, at 68, and on spot at 70, small sales in store at 75. Ear Corn is scarce and prime Yellow may be quoted at 80 on wharf and track, and 85 in store; Shelled is dull and unchanged. Rye is dull with a good deal offering. Barley, prime Spring, $1,75.

HAY—Sales at Allegheny Diamond market of 36 loads at $28@36. Baled is dull at $25@28, on wharf.

HUSKS—Sales at 3½.

HEMP—Sales at $215.

HOMINY—$5,75@6 per bbl.

LARD OIL—Is quoted at $1,20 for No. 2, and $1,50@1,52 for No. 1.

LIME—Cleveland Lime is quoted at $2 50, per bbl, and Common White at $1,75.

POTATOES—Arrivals have fallen off materially and the market is stronger but unchanged. Sales, in store, at 55@60 per bushel.

PEANUTS—Held at 12c.

PROVISIONS — In steady demand, and we can report regular jobbing sales at 14 for Shoulders; 16½@18 for Ribbed and Clear Sides; and 19@19¾ for plain and canvassed Sugar Cured Hams. Lard, 19 in tierces and 20 in pails.

STRAW—In demand at $20@23.

SEEDS—Sales of Clover Seed at $9; no Timothy or Flaxseed in this market worth speaking of.

SALT—May be quoted at $1,83@1,85 by the car load, and $1,95@2 for small lots in store.

TALLOW—Is quoted at 10¼@10⅝, for rendered, and dull.

### WOOL MARKET.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, TUESDAY, May 18, 1869.

As the season is now near at hand when the new clip of wool will be in market, farmers and others are interested in knowing what will be the probable range of prices. So far as we have learned, but few sheep in this section have as yet been washed, and it will probably be two or three weeks before any of the new clip will be ready to offer. Advices from the Eastern cities are not encouraging for any higher prices the coming season, than ruled during the early part of last season. Manufacturers very generally complain of the low prices at which goods are selling, and that, even at the low prices, goods cannot be sold up to the production. Our quotations, are at present entirely nominal, ranging from 40@50c according to quality and condition.

### Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, May 18.—Dry Goods—Inertia and depression continue. The predominating feature in this department is the Roxbury A, 36 inch. Brown sheetings are reduced in price to 14: Appleton do to 14½; Clarks do to 15; Atlantic H to 14½; Lyman E to 15; Lawrence P to 14½; Trowbridge to 9, and Pemberton A, awning stripes, to 29. This break in prices will bring the mills producing sheetings to a stand still, as the goods are now selling below cost, and dull as trade is there must be a reaction, unless cotton declines materially in prices.

PHILADELPHIA, May 18.—Flour dull and unsettled; Ohio extra family $7,25@8,25. Wheat declining; sales of 2,000 bush red at $1,60; amber $1,60@1,65. Rye steady at $1,45. Corn dull and declined 1c; sales of 2 500 bush yellow 86c; mixed western unchanged. Oats dull; western 81@82c. Petroleum quiet; crude in bbls 17c; refined 32c. Groceries and Provisions unchanged. Whisky dull at 94@95c.

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### Apron Strings

Among other classifications, the world of men and women may be divided into those who wear aprons and those who are tied to the strings thereof, those who determine the length of the tether and those who are bound to browse within its circuit, those who hold the reins and those who go bitted. All men and women are fond of power, but there is a wide difference in the way in which they use it. To men belong the grave political tyrannies at which nations revolt, and history is outraged, to woman the small conventional laws framed against this individnal liberty by Mrs. Grundy and society; men rule with rods of iron and drive with whips of steel, women shorten the tether and tie up close to apron strings, men coerce, women forbid. In fact, the difference is just that which lies between action and negation, compulsion and restraint; between the masculine jealousy of equality and the feminine fear of excess. If men debar women from all entrance into their larger sphere, women try to dwarf men's lives to their own measure, and not a few hold themselves aggrieved when they fail. They think that everything which is impossible to them should be forbidden to others, and they maintain that to be a lamentable extreme which is simply in excess of their own powers. Not content with supremacy in the home which is their own undisputed domain, nor satisfied with binding on men the various rules distinguishing life in the drawing room, the dining-room, and the breakfast parlor, they would, if they could, carry the code outside, and sweep into its narrow net the club house and the mess table, the billiard room, and the race course, and wherever else men congregate together, delivered from the bondage of feminine conventionalities. For almost all women have an uneasy feeling when their men are out of sight, enjoying themselves in their own way. They fear on all sides—both bodily harm and moral evil; and regard men's rougher sports and freer thoughts as a hen regards her wilful duckling when they take to the water in which she would be drowned, and leave her high and dry lamenting their danger and self-destruction. The man they love best for his manliness they would, in their loving cowardice, do their utmost to make effeminate; and while adoring him for all that makes him bold and strong in thought as well as in frame, would tie him up to their apron-strings and keep him there until he became as soft and narrow as themselves. Not that they would wish to do so; if you asked them they would tell you quite the contrary; but this would be the result if they had their own way, their love being at all times more timid than confident.

To home-staying women, a brilliant husband courted by the world, and loving what courts him, is a painful cross to bear, however much beloved—the pain, in fact, being proportionate to the love. Perhaps no life exemplifies this so much as Moore's. Poor "Bessy" suffered many things because of the looseness of the apron-string by which her roving husband was tied, and the length of the tether which he allowed himself. *Farfallone amoroso* as he was, his incessant flutterings out of range and reach caused her many a sad hour; and in after years she was often heard to say that the happiest time of her life was when his mind had begun to fail, for then she had him all to herself, and no one came in between them—no great world swept him away to be the idol of a *salon*, and left her alone at home casting up her accounts with life, and quaking at the result that came out. When the brilliancy and the idolatry came to an end, then her turn began; and she tied up her dulled and faltering idol close to her side forever after, and was happier to have him there than when he was at his brightest, and a rover. Many a wife has felt the same when sickness has broken down the strong man's power to a weakness below her own, and made her, so long the inferior, now the more powerful of the two, and the supreme. She gathers up the reins with that firm, tight hand peculiar to women, and ties him to her apron string so that he cannot escape. It is quite a matter of pride with her that she has got him into such good order. He obeys her so implicitly about his medicine, and going to bed early, and wrapping himself up, and avoidance of draughts and night air, that she feels all the reflected glory of one who has conquered a hero. The Samson who used to defy the elements, and break her careful strings like bands of tow, has at last laid his head in her lap, and suffered himself to be covered by her apron. It is worth while to have had the anxiety and loss of his illness for the sake of the submission resulting; and she generally ends by gaining a hold over him which he can never shake off again. It is pitiful, though, to see the stronger life thus dwarfed and bound; but women like it, and while the need for it lasts men must submit.

The danger is lest the habit of the apron string should become permanent; for it is so perilously pleasant to be petted and made much of by women, that few men can resist the temptation when it offers; and many have been ruined for the remainder of their days by an illness which gave them up into the keeping of wife and sisters—those fireside Armidas who will coddle all the real manliness out of their finest heroes, if they are let. If this kind of thing occurs at the break of life, the *mezzo cammino*, between maturity and age, it is doubly difficult to throw off; and many a man who had good years of vigor and strength before him if he had been kept up to the mark, sinks all at once into effete senility because his womankind got frightened at that last small attack of his, and thought the best way to preserve him from another was to weaken him by over care.

Perhaps the greatest misfortune that can befall a man is to have been an only son, brought up by a tender and timid widow mother. It is easy to see at a glance, among a crowd of boys, who has been educated under exclusively femenine influence. The long curled shining hair, the fantastic tunic—generally a kind of hybrid between a tunic and a frock—the lavish use of embroidery, the soft pretty-behaved manner, the clean unroughened hands, all mark the boy of whom his mother has so often wished that he had been a girl, and whom she has made as like a girl as possible. His intellectual education has been as unboylike as his daily breeding. Mothers' boys are taught to play the piano; to amuse themselves with painting, or netting, or perhaps a little woolwork in the evenings—anything to keep them quietly seated by the family table, without an outbreak of boyish restlessness or inconvenient energy; but they are never taught to ride, to hunt, to shoot, to swim, to play at cricket, football, or billiards, unless there is a stalwart uncle about who takes the reins in his own hand at times, and insists on having a word to say about his nephew's education. There is danger in all, and evil in some of these things; and women cannot bear that those they love should run the risk of either. Wherefore their boys are modest and virtuous truly, but they are not manly; and when they go out into the world, as they must sooner or later, they are either laughed at for their priggishness, or they go to the bad by the very force of reaction. The mother has allowed them to learn nothing that will be of any use to them, and they enter the great arena wholly unprepared either to fight or resist, to push their own way or take their own part. They have been kept tied up to the apron string to the last moment, and only when absolutely forced by the necessity of events will she cut the knot and let them go free. But she holds on to the last moment. Even when the time comes for college life and learning, she often goes with her darling, and takes lodging in the town, that she may be near at hand to watch over his health and morals, and continue her careful labor for his destruction. The chances are that a youth so brought up never becomes a real man, or worth his salt anyhow. He is a prig if he is good, a debauchee of the worst kind if he kicks over the traces at all. He is more likely the first, carrying the mark of the apron string around his wrist for life. Like a tame falcon ussd to the hood and the perch and lure home, no matter what the temptation of the quarry afield, he is essentially a domestic man, at ease only in the society of women; a fussy man, a small man, delicate in health, and with a dread of strong measures, physical, political or mental; a crotchety man, and given to passing quackeries, but not a man fit for man's society, or for a man's work. When there are many boys, instead of only one, in a widow's family, the opposite of all this is the case. As soon as they have escaped from the nursery, they have escaped from all control whatsoever; and if one wants to realize a puerile pandemonium of dirt, discomfort, noise and general disorganization, the best place in the world, is the household of a feeble spirited mother of many sons, where there is no controling masculine influence.

Daughters, who are naturally and necessarily tied up to the mother's apron string, suffer occasionally from too tight a strain; though certainly it is not the fault of the present day that girls are too closely fettered, too home-staying, or subdued. Still, every now and then one comes across a matron who has crushed all individuality out of her family, and whose grownup daughters are still children to her in go-carts and leading-strings. They may be the least attractive of their sex, but a mother of this kind has one fixed delusion respecting them, namely, that the world is full of wolves eager to devour her lambs, and that they are only safe when close to her maternal apron and browsing within an inch of the tether stake. These are the girls who become hopeless old maids. Men have an instinctive dread of the maternal apron-string. They do not want to marry a mother as well as a wife, and to live under a double dominion and reduplicate opposition. It is all very well to say that a girl so brought up is broken in already, and therefore more likely to make a good wife than many others, seeing that it is only a transfer of obedience. They may do for slaves, who cannot be other than slaves whoever is the master; but it does not do for women who see their friends freer than themselves, and who might, if fate had so ordered; been free too. The chances here are, as with the mother's boys that the girls keep too close to the apronstring during her spinterhood, goes all abroad as soon as she gets on the free ground of matrimony, and lets her liberty run into license. Or she keeps her old allegiance to her mother in act, and her husband is never more than the younger branch at best. Most likely he is a usurper, whom it is her duty to disobey in favor of the rightful ruler when they chance to come into collision. [*Saturday Review.*

### Plain Questions for Free Traders.

The Harrisburg *Telegraph* puts these pointed queries:

1. If the present Tariff is "prohibitory," or, in other words, prevents us buying what we want from foreign countries, how does it come that we *do* buy about one hundred millions of dollars worth of merchandise more than we sell them of our products during this year of Grace 1869?

2. If the "enormous and grinding taxation" we are now paying to "monopolists," or, in plainer terms, the customs now raised on foreign imports, is "grinding" our people into "poverty and want," why is it that a constant stream of immigrants *will* come from nations now enjoying Free Trade to our languishing, tariff-cursed country?

3. If Free trade were declared to-morrow, and foreign manufacturers were permitted to compete in our markets with our own, would not fabric made by European workmen at fifty cents a day drive those made by American workmen at two dollars and fifty cents a day out of the market?

4. When the American manufacturer finds himself undersold *at home*, by those engaged in the same business in Leeds, or Manchester, or Cornwall, in England, must he not either discharge his hands and close his mills, furnaces, &c., or reduce the wages he is now paying to his employees?

5. Must not the machines, under this state of affairs, either stop work or submit to the reduction, or find something else to do?

6. Do the Free Traders want the workmen of America to work for lower wages than they now get? Or, if not, do they want them to give up skilled labor (and so lose the years spent in learning a trade), and work at agricultural pursuits?

7. Will our country under Free Trade, which must inevitably destroy her manufactures, become absolutely enslaved to the countries which furnish us with everything we need from a fork to a steam engine; and will we not, when declaring war against England—for instance—or she against us, experience some difficulty in the way of cannon, muskets, etc.

8. How do you propose to pay coin interest on the bonds, which we solemnly proposed to pay, when you have destroyed the only source of coin revenue we now have, or can have until we resume specie payments?

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**ORPHANS' COURT SALE.**—Will be offered at Public Sale at the Court House, in the city of Pittsburgh, on TUESDAY, the 18th day of MAY, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the real Estate of JAMES BLACK, deceased, viz: All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in Collins township, (now 44th ward, Pittsburgh,) bounded by lands Samuel Semple, H. Williams, William Semple, and by a township road, and containing sixteen acres and one hundred and five perches, and having thereon erected a large double Frame Dwelling House, Cottage House, a fine Barn, Stabling and other out buildings, with a good Orchard of fruit trees of all kinds. Grapes, &c., and a Coal Bank opened on the premises. There are supposed to be six or eight acres of coal in said lot. Terms of sale—One-third in hand, three-eleventhsin one year from the confirmation of the sale, with interest from the date of confirmation, and the balance, in two thirty-thirds of the purchase money to remain a charge upon the land until the death of Mrs. Eliza Jane Black, widow of James Black, deceased, and the interest thereof to be paid to her annually during her life, and at her death the principal to be paid to those legally entitled to the same.

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SAMUEL PALMER, Attorney.
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**NOTICE.—By a Decree of the** Court, made at Beaver County, Pa., April 28, 1869, the undersigned was confirmed Receiver of C. H. HALL & CO., and in compliance therewith I will dispose of Lubricating and Refined Oils and Barrels of said firm, and will sell at Public Sale, on the premises, in the Borough of Glasgow, Beaver County, Pa., on the 8TH OF JUNE NEXT, at 1 o'clock P. M., all the property of C. H. Hall & Co., known as the "Point Oil Works," consisting of Leases, Machinery, Tanks, Buildings, &c. &c., together with all oils then remaining unsold. Terms Cash. And also give notice to all persons indebted to said firm to make immediate payment to me.

H. BENNETT, Receiver
of C. H. HALL & CO.,

PITTSBURGH, May 1, 1869. ap31-141-T.S

**SARAH MAY by her next** friend David Lake vs. Robert May. In the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny county, No. 476, Dec. T., 1868.

To the above named respondent:

ROBERT MAY: You are hereby notified to be and appear at the next term of this Court, to be held at Pittsburgh on the FIRST MONDAY OF JUNE, A. D 1869 then and there to answer the complaint of the above named libelant, and show cause, if any you have, why the prayer for divorce *a vinculo matrimonii* should not be granted.

SAMUEL B. CLELEY, Sheriff.
my5:162 w

**IN THE MATTER OF THE AP**PLICATION OF THE SEVENTH WARD PREMIUM LOAN ASSOCIATION OF ALLEGHENY CITY, for a Charter of Incorporation. No. 820, June Term, 1869. Notice is hereby given that application has been made, to the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County, to grant the charter of incorporation in this case, that it is now on file in the office of the Prothonotary of Allegheny county, and will be granted at the next term of Court, (June, 1869,) unless exceptions thereto are filed in the meantime.

ROBERT POLLOCK,
Solicitor for Petitioners.
my5:166-w

**IN BANKRUPTCY.—Western** District of Pennsylvania. At Pitsburgh the 13th day of May, A. D. 1869.

The undersigned, Assignee of the estate of CHARLES C. ALGEO, Bankrupt, hereby gives notice that a general meeting of the creditors of said Bankrupt, will be held at the office of JOHN N. PORTANCE, Esq., one of the Registers in Bankruptcy at said district, at No. 116 Federal street, Allegheny City, Pa., in said District, on the FIRST DAY OF JUNE, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose named in the twenty-seventh section of the bankrupt act of March 2d, A. D. 1869.

B. McLEAN,
Assignee.
my17-MW

BANK OF PITTSBURGH,
May 4th, 1869.

☞**THE PRESIDENT AND DI**RECTORS of this Bank have THIS DAY declared a dividend of FIVE PER CENT. on its Capital Stock out of the profits of the last six months, which will be paid to Stockholders or their legal representatives, on and after the 14th inst., free of Government, State and local taxes.
my5:169-W W. ROSEBUG, Cashier.

**NOTICE.—Whereas letters tes**tamentary to the estate of Samuel Wallace, late of the borough of Birmingham, deceased, have been granted to the subscriber, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent will make known the same, without delay, to

ROBERT WALLACE, Executor,
No. 64 Water street.
Pittsburgh, April 28th, 1869. m5:167-W

## POLITICAL.

### *STATE SENATOR.*

☞**FOR SENATE,**

**GEORGE WILSON**

Will be a candidate for State Senator, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. my4

☞**FOR SENATOR,**

**SAMUEL B. CLULEY**

Will be a candidate for State Senator, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. my5

☞**FOR SENATOR.**

**GEO. H. ANDERSON**

Will be a candidate for State Senator, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. my5

☞**FOR SENATOR.**

**THOMAS HOWARD**

Will be a candidate for State Senator, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. my5

### *SHERIFF.*

☞**SOMETHING TANGIBLE** FOR SOLDIERS' WIDOWS AND ORPHANS.

**To the Independent Voters of Allegheny County:**

The undersigned, with a view of rendering the widows and orphans of the brave soldiers from Allegheny county, who fell in defense of their country in the late rebellion, some substantial and permanent assistance, offers himself as a candidate at the election on the second Tuesday of October next, for the office of SHERIFF, solemnly pledging and binding himself, in case of his election, that one-half of the net profits of the office shall be appropriated for the benefit of said widows and orphans. The Judges of the Court of the County to be the trustees of the funds, under whose direction the same shall be disbursed.

J. Y. McLAUGHLIN.

Offices, 96½ Fourth avenue and 325 Liberty street. my18

☞**FOR SHERIFF,**

**WILLIAM G. STUBBS,**

Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention my11-d&T

☞**FOR SHERIFF.**

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for SHERIFF, subject to the usages of the Republican party; and if successful pledge myself to devote all my energy to an honorable and faithful discharge of the duties of the office.

ap13:d&F H. S. FLEMING.

☞**FOR SHERIFF,**

**JOHN H. HARE,**

Of Pittsburgh, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention.
ap28-D&F

☞**FOR SHERIFF.**

I would respectfully announce to the citizens of Allegheny county that I will be a candidate for the office of SHERIFF, subject to the decision of the next ensuing Union Republican County Convention.

FRANK DUFF,
ap20:h70:DF Ohio Township.

☞**FOR SHERIFF.**

**JOHN A. WATSON,**

Of Elizabeth township, late private Company D, 79th Pa. Vols., will be a candidate for the office of SHERIFF, subject to the decision of the Union Republican Convention. ap20:h73DF

☞**FOR SHERIFF.**

**WILLIAM A. HERRON,**

Will be a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention. mh25:g19-d&F

☞**FOR SHERIFF,**

**JOSEPH ROSS,**

Will be a candidate for SHERIFF, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. ap21:

### *RECORDER.*

☞**FOR RECORDER.**

**B. A. SAMPSON,**

Of the Sixth ward, Allegheny, (late Manchester,) will be a candidate for Recorder, subject to the action of the approaching Republican County Convention. my3:194-d&T

☞**FOR RECORDER,**

**AUGUSTUS BECKERT,**

Allegheny City, late private Fifth Excelsior Regiment. Lost a leg in the Second Bull Run Battle. ap27:114-D&F

☞**FOR RECORDER.**

**H. M'MASTER**

Will be a candidate for Recorder, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. my5

☞**FOR RECORDER,**

**THOS. H. HUNTER,**

LATE NINTH REG'T PA. R. C.
my4.159

☞**FOR RECORDER,**

**HENRY SNIVELY,**

Will be a candidate for nomination to the office of Recorder for Allegheny county, subject to the decision of the approaching Republican County Convention. ap30:132

### *COUNTY TREASURER.*

☞**FOR COUNTY TREASURER.**

**J. F. DENNISTON,**

(Late Brevet Major U. S. Vols.,) will be a candidate for nomination, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.
ap27 1-3-D&F

☞**FOR COUNTY TREASURER**

**COL. J. B. COPELAND,**

Of Elizabeth township, will be a candidate for the above office, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.
ap23,h87:D&F

### *COUNTY COMMISSIONER.*

☞**FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.**

**JOSEPH IRWIN,**

Will be a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention. ap27:116

☞**FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.**

**ROBERT CUNNINGHAM,**

Of 2d ward, Pittsburgh, will be a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention.
my4-D&T

☞**FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.**

**CHAUNCEY B. BOSTWICK,**

Of the Twentieth ward, will be a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.
my7.d&F

☞**FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.**

**GEORGE HAMILTON**

Will be a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention. my5

### *REGISTER OF WILLS.*

☞**FOR REGISTER OF WILLS**

**JOHN KEIL, JR.,**

SUBJECT TO THE DECISION OF THE REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

☞**FOR REGISTER OF WILLS**

**JOSEPH H. GRAY,**

Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. ap29:125

## POLITICAL.

### *CLERK OF COURTS.*

☞**FOR CLERK OF COURTS,**

**JOHN G. BROWN.**

Millvale borough, late private Co. H, 102d Reg't Penna. Vols., subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention. ap28.

☞**TO THE CITIZENS OF AL**LEGHENY COUNTY: I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for the office of CLERK OF COURTS, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention. I would state that I ask the office but for ONE TERM, at the termination of which I would cheerfully retire, believing that there are others equally entitled to the honor and emoluments of the office, and as competent as myself. I will be under obligations to the citizens of the county for their support. Very respectfully,

JO-EPH BROWNE.
Late 102d (old 13th,) and 5th Pa. Vol. Regt.
mh23:g47

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

☞**SCHENCK'S PULMONIC** SYRUP, SEAWEED TONIC AND MANDRAKE PILLS will cure Consumption, Liver Complaint and Dyspepsia, if taken according to directions. They are all three to be taken at the same time. They cleanse the stomach, relax the liver and put it to work; then the appetite becomes good; the food digests and makes good blood; the patient begins to grow in flesh; the diseased matter ripens into the lungs, and the patient outgrows the disease and gets well. This is the only way to cure consumption.

To these three medicines DR. J. H. Schenck, of Philadelphia, owes his unrivaled success in the treatment of pulmonary Consumption. The Pulmonic Syrup ripens the morbid matter in the lungs, nature throws it off by an easy expectoration, for when the phlegm or matter is ripe a slight cough will throw it off, and the patient has rest and the lungs begin to heal.

To do this, the seawed tonic and Mandrake Pills must be freely used to cleanse the stomach and liver, so that the Pulmonic Syrup and the food will make good blood.

Schenck's Mandrake Pills act upon the liver, removing all obstructions, relax the ducts of the gall bladder, the bile starts freely, and the liver is soon relieved; the stools will show what the Pills can do; nothing has ever been invented except calomel (a deadly poison which is very dangerous to use unless with great care,) that will unlock the gall bladder and start the secretions of the liver like Schenck's Mandrake Pills.

Liver Complaint is one of the most prominent causes of Consumption.

Schenck's Seaweed Tonic is a gentle stimulant and alterative, and the alkali in the Seaweed, which this preparation is made of, assists the stomach to throw out the gastric juice to dissolve the food with the Pulmonic Syrup, and it is made into good blood without fermentation or souring in the stomach.

The great reason why physicians do not cure Consumption is, they try to do too much; they give medicine to stop the cough, to stop chills, to stop night sweats, hectic fever, and by so doing they derange the whole digestive powers, locking up the secretions, and eventually the patient sinks and dies.

Dr. Schenck, in his treatment, does not try to stop a cough, night sweats, chills or fever. Remove the cause, and they will all stop of their own accord. No one can be cured of Consumption, Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Catarrh, Canker, Ulcerated Throat, unless the liver and stomach are made healthy.

If a person has consumption, of course the lungs in some way are diseased, either tubercles, abscesses, bronchial irritation, pleura adhesion, or the lungs are a mass of inflammation and fast decaying. In such cases what must be done? It is not only the lungs that are wasting, but it is the whole body. The stomach and liver have lost their power to make blood out of food. Now the only chance is to take Dr. Schenck's three medicines, which will bring up a tone to the stomach, the liver, will begin to want food, it will digest easily and make good blood; then the patient begins to gain in flesh, and as soon as the body begins to grow, the lungs commence to heal up, and the patient gets fleshy and well. This is the only way to cure Consumption.

When there is no lung disease and only Liver Complaint and Dyspepsia, Schenck's Seaweed Tonic and Mandrake Pills are sufficient, without the Pulmonic Syrup. Take the Mandrake Pills freely in all bilious complaints, as they are perfectly harmless.

Dr. Schenck, who has enjoyed uninterrupted health for many years past, and now weighs 245 pounds, was wasted away to a mere skeleton, in the very last stage of Pulmonary Consumption, his physicians having pronounced his case hopeless and abandoned him to his fate. He was cured by the aforesaid medicines, and since his recovery many thousands similarly afflicted have used Dr. Schenck's preparations with the same remarkable success. Full directions accompany each, making it not absolutely necessary to personally see Dr. Schenck, unless patients wish their lungs examined, and for this purpose he is professionally at his Principal Office, Philadelphia, every Saturday, where all letters for advice must be addressed. He is also professionally at No. 32 Bond street, New York, every other Tuesday, and at No. 35 Hanover street, Boston, every other Wednesday. He gives advice free, but for a thorough examination with his Respirometer the price is $5. Office hours at each city from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.

Price of the Pulmonic Syrup and Seaweed Tonic each $1.50 per bottle, or $7.50 a half dozen. Mandrake Pills 25 cents a box. For sale by all druggists. my19:j51-d&F

☞**EPILEPSY CAN BE CURED** —Those having friends afflicted are earnestly solicited to send for a Circular Letter of References and Testimonials, which will convince the most skeptical of the *curability of the disease*. Address VAN BUREN LOCKROW, M. D., 36 Great Jones street, New York.
mh19:g28-d&F

☞**ELECTRICITY AS A CURA**TIVE.—Dr. A. H. STEVENS has been using Electricity as a SPECIAL REMEDY in curing chronic as well as acute conditions WITHOUT MEDICINE for more than TEN YEARS, with unbounded success. A PAMPHLET, including all part cures, with certificates and reliable references, will be sent to any inquirer.

A few furnished rooms vacant, for boarding patients in the Doctor's family, if applied for soon. Office and residence, 2,001 ARCH STREET, PHILADELPHIA. my13:j22-d&F4

☞**IMPORTANT MEDICAL** NOTICE.

At the solicitation of his numerous Philadelphia patients,

**Dr. E. DE F. CURTIS,**

Of Baltimore, author of several medical Works,

WILL ATTEND IN PHILADELPHIA

From the 1st to the 12th of JUNE, inclusive.

Those who wish to see the Doctor in Philadelphia should correspond at Baltimore.

SPECIALTY.—Treatment and Cure of Nervous and Physical Debility. my12

☞**BATCHELOR'S HAIR DYE.**

This splendid Hair Dye is the best in the world: the only true and perfect Dye; harmless, reliable, instantaneous; no disappointment; no ridiculous tints; remedies the ill effects of bad dyes; invigorates and leaves the Hair soft and beautiful, *black or brown*. Sold by all Druggists and Perfumers; and properly applied at Batchelor's Wig Factory, No. 16 Bond street, New York. ap28:p78

☞**DOCTOR WHITTIER CON**TINUES TO TREAT ALL PRIVATE Diseases. Syphilis in all its forms, Gonorrhœa, Gleet, Stricture, &c., completely eradicated. That numerous class of cases resulting from self-abuse, producing unmanliness, nervous debility, irritability, eruptions, seminal emissions, and finally impotency, permanently cured. Persons afflicted with delicate, intricate and long standing constitutional complaints are politely invited to call for consultation, which costs nothing. Experience, the best of teachers, has enabled him to perfect remedies at once efficient, safe, permanent, and which in most cases can be used without hindrance to business. Medicines prepared in the establishment, which embraces office, reception and waiting rooms; also, boarding and sleeping apartments for patients requiring daily personal attention, and vapor and chemical baths, thus concentrating the famed mineral springs. No matter who have failed, state your case. Read what he says in his pamphlet of fifty pages, sent to any address for two stamps in sealed envelope. Thousands of cases treated annually, at office and all over the country. Consultation free, personally or by mail. Office No. 9 Wylie street, (near Court House) Pittsburgh, Pa. Hours 9 A. M. to 8 P. M. Sundays 12 M. to 2 P. M. Pamphlet sent to any address for *two stamps*. ap2

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FIRE-PROOF
Lamp
CHIMNEYS.

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FOUNDRY,
**WM. M. JOHNSON.**

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☞**NEW OPERA HOUSE.**

Lessee.....WM. HENDERSON.
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WEDNESDAY EVENING, May 19th, 1869, benefit of HARRY LESLIE. Last week of

**HUMPTY DUMPTY,**

New Comic Scene; new and Novel Tricks; wonderful Stilt Dance and Burlesque Can-Can by TONY DENIER; new Ballets; skipping Rope Hornpipe; Scotch Pas De Deux, by ANTONINO and ST. ODY; Velocipede Riding, by HARRY LESLIE; new Comic and Fancy Skating, by ALFRED MOE.

THRUSDAY EVENING—BENEFIT OF ANTONINO and ST. ODY.

Saturday—Farewell Matinee.

☞**PITTSBURGH THEATRE.**

H. W. WILLIAMS, Lessee and Manager.

Second and last week of the gorgeous spectacular burlesque called THE FORTY THIEVES, with all its beauties and the magnificent TRANSFORMATION SCENE.

TO-NIGHT The Great American Comique, GUS WILLIAMS.

Fort Thieves Matinee on Wednesday and Saturday. Admission to Matinee, 50 cents; Gallery, 25 cents.

☞**ACADEMY OF MUSIC.**

Grand Exhibition (second time) by Mrs. SLACK DAVIS' pupils, on TUESDAY, MAY 25th, 1869. Parlor Dancing, consisting of light gymnastics, and also a Fairy Drama, expressly adapted, from Shakspeare's

**MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM.**

Price of admission, 50 cents to all parts of the house. Tickets and programmes may be had at all the music stores. Doors open at 7; commence a quarter to 8. mv18:j52

☞**ACADEMY OF MUSIC**

**OLE BULL**

Respectfully announces

**TWO GRAND CONCERTS.**

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY EVENINGS, MAY 18 and 19th, assisted by the following favorite artists:

MISS S. W. BARTON, Soprano.
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ADMISSION.....ONE DOLLAR.
FAMILY CIRCLE & GALLERY, FIFTY CTS.
No extra charge for reserved seats.
Seats can be procured at C. C. Mellor's Music Store, commencing Friday morning, May 14, at 10 o'clock.
Doors open at 7½; commence at 8 o'clock.
THOS. R. TURNBULL,
my13:121

☞**ACADEMY OF MUSIC.**

***THREE NIGHTS LONGER.***

At the request of many citizens who have been unable to attend during the past week,

**The Renegade of the Potomac,**

A National Drama, will be re-produced on

**THURSDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY,**

MAY 20th, 21st and 22d.

**Characters by Members of the Order.**

PRICES OF ADMISSION.

Parquette and Dress Circle.....50 cents.
Family Circle.....35 cents.
Gallery.....25 cents.
Reserved seats 25 cents extra.
Box office open from 10 A. M. till 3 P. M.
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**G. W. De CAMP,**

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Office, No. 137 FOURTH AVENUE, Pittsburgh, (formerly occupied by Hon. Walter H. Lowrie,) will practice in the U. S. Circuit and District Courts, in the State Supreme and all the Courts of Allegheny county, and make collections in most of the adjacent counties. ja29:d78

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***Justice of the Peace,***

CONVEYANCER, REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE AGENT,

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Collection of Rents solicited and promptly attended to. my3:y80

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A full assortment of all styles and sizes of

Boys, Youths and Children's Suits,

For Spring and Summer wear.

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**MERCHANT TAILORS,**

Have just received their carefully selected stock of Spring and Summer Goods, and will be glad to show or sell them to old and new customers. The Cutting Department will still be superintended by Mr. C. A. MUHLANBRING.

I take pleasure in recommending the above firm to the liberal support of the public.
mh11:f81 W. H. McGEE.

**B. TIEGEL,**

(Late Cutter with W. Hespenheide,)

**MERCHANT TAILOR,**

No. 53 Smithfield Street, Pittsburgh.
se26:y21

**NEW SPRING GOODS.**

A splendid new stock of

***CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, &C.,***

Just received by **HENRY MEYER.**

se14: Merchant Tailor, 73 Smithfield street.

**SHAKER DRIED CORN.**

A superior article; an excellent substitute for green corn at less price. For sale by the quart or bushel by

my12 JNO. A. RENSHAW,
corner Liberty and Ninth streets.

# CITY AND SUBURBAN.

THE GAZETTE *is furnished in the city the six days of the week for* 15 *cents per week; by mail,* $8 *per annum: 3 mos.,* $2.

**Discharged.**—John Laughery, against whom information was made before the Mayor on Monday by Mrs. Campbell for larceny by bailee, after a hearing yesterday, was discharged.

**Tunnelling.**—The Diamond alley sewer has been completed to Smithfield street, and a tunnel is now being driven under the street to connect with the drops at the upper side.

**The Allegheny City** Executive Committee will hold a meeting to-morrow night, at the office of W. P. Price, No. 21 Diamond. A full attendance of the members is requested.

**Dr. Gleason Lectures** this evening at Excelsior Hall, Allegheny city, on the Lungs, causes and care of weak lungs, &c., splendidly illustrated, with numerous French manakins and models.

**Select School.**—The attention of Professors who may wish to engage in school teaching is called to the advertisement on the fifth page under the above heading. This a rare opportunity, such a one as is seldom offered.

**Called Her Names.**—Sarah Gillespie alleges Catharine Raney acted in a very disorderly manner yesterday by calling her vulgar names and otherwise improperly conducting herself. The accused was arrested and held for a hearing.

**Yesterday morning** John Larkins, a young lad employed at Brown & Co.'s rolling mill, Duquesne Way, had one of his thumbs cut off while playing with the steam shears in the establishment.

**Cross Suits.**—Ellen Horan made information, before Alderman Taylor, yesterday, against John O'Brien, for assault and battery. This is a cross suit, John having preferred a similar charge against Ellen the previous day. Warrant issued.

**Stock Sales.**—The following stocks were sold last evening on the second floor of the Commercial Sales Rooms, 106 Smithfield street, by A. McIlwaine, Auctioneer:

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| Citizens National Bank | $68 50 |
| Exchange National Bank | 69 00 |

**Threw Her Down.**—Catharine McDevitt alleges she was standing by a hydrant in front of her house, yesterday, when Daniel Wilkinson came along, and seizing her by the arm, threw her with great violence to the ground, by which she was severely injured. Daniel was arrested on a warrant issued by Alderman Lynch, and held for a hearing.

**The attention** of our merchants is called to the advertisement of Messrs. Furness, Brinley & Co., Auctioneers, Philadelphia, on fifth page of to-day's paper. They inform us this will be one of the grandest sales ever offered in this city. Our merchants, we have no doubt, can secure some rich bargains. Read their advertisement for particulars.

**Sunday Liquor Selling.**—Information was made before the Mayor yesterday against Anthony Whitaker, Daniel Strain, Bernard McBride, John Sullivan and J. Croin, for selling liquor on Sunday. The actions are to recover the penalty of $50, and a hearing will take place to-morrow.

**Alleged Assault.**—Rev. P. Alvis Ohler made information before Alderman McMasters, yesterday, against Joseph Hofnagle for assault and battery. The prosecutor states he is a pastor of a congregation at Chartiers Creek, and that after services last Sunday morning he was assaulted by Hofnagle who struck and severely choked him. Warrant issued.

**New Oil Excitement.**—It is stated that operations for oil are about to be renewed in the Mahoning Valley, between New Castle and Youngstown. This valley was one of the earliest fields of venture in the time of the oil fever, and several paying wells were struck near New Castle and in the vicinity of Lowellville, but owing to the low price of oil operations ceased. It is believed that if revived again, the development of the oil in the region will be immensely profitable.

**Larceny of Rope.**—Simpson B. Horner made information before the Mayor yesterday, charging Charles Smith with larceny, and Chief Hague made a similar information, at the same time and place, against George Keiser. It is alleged that the defendants in these cases stole a quantity of cable or rope from a barge lying at lock No. 1. Smith was arrested and is now in the lock-up awaiting a hearing, and a warrant was issued for the arrest of Keiser. Keiser's dog probably had an attack of hydrophobia and he wanted a strong cable to tie him.

**Thrown from a Horse.**—Mr. Joseph Abel, a druggist, was severely injured yesterday morning by being thrown from a horse. He was taking a horseback ride about six o'clock yesterday morning, and when near Minersville his horse took fright and threw him off, breaking his thumb and seriously injuring him about the head. He was removed to the residence of Robert Arthurs, Esq., where he was attended by Dr. Fleming. He is doing as we l as the circumstances of the case will permit,

**A Dance Interrupted.**—On Monday night the Allegheny police made a descent upon a disorderly house on Main street, Fourth ward, and succeeded in capturing a party of ten young men, who were each required to pay a fine of five dollars and costs yesterday morning. Numerous complaints have recently been made against the house by the neighbors who allege it is the resort of doubtful characters of both sexes, who spend the night carousing generally to the great annoyance of all peacably disposed folks in the vicinity. The authorities have taken the case in hand, and if possible will remove the evil.

### A Point Complaint.

By request of two citizens residing in the locality, we call the attention of the Mayor and Board of Health to the annoyance which is occasioned in the vicinity of the Point by the dumping of the contents of cess pools on the river bank in the day time. The "unpleasantness" is said to be very serious, and those occasioning it seem to disregard the protestations which have been made to them. We have not a copy of the new city code, and therefore cannot say whether there has been any change in the ordinances respecting the "night-soiling business," but heretofore those engaged in it were confined to certain hours in the night time. Perhaps the Board of Health, under an act of the last Legislature, is empowered to make such regulations as may be requisite. At all events, the complaint referred to should receive prompt attention.

## BONDED WAREHOUSE ACCIDENT.

### Coroner's Investigation---Interesting Particulars Relative to the Construction of the Building—Investigation to be Continued To-Day.

The Coroner's jury empannelled to inquire into the cause of the death of Geo. Caven, who was killed by the fall of Finch & Co's. bonded warehouse, on Friday of last week, a full account of which was published in the GAZETTE, met yesterday pursuant to adjournment, at the office of Justice Barker, in South Pittsburgh, when the following testimony was adduced:

*Alex. Wilson*, sworn—I am a builder of the firm of A. & S. Wilson. Have examined Finch & Co's. Bonded Warehouse since the accident. Would say that the piers on which the posts stood were defective, as the stone did not cover them. The centre was the weakest part The pieres are of brick capped with stone. The piers were two feet eight inches square, and the stone on top was eighteen inches square. The piers were built round with a four inch layer of brick and filled in with loose brick, so far as I could see. All the weight of the building rested on these posts and so on the piers. Do not count the piers as strong as if they had only been eighteen inches square and well built. The outside was well enough built, but the weight did not come upon it. The piers were under the first floor. The joist of the first floor rested on the outside walls of the piers. All the upper floor rested on the centres. I think that if the stone had covered the entire top of the piers the support would have been ample. On one of the piers the capstone had been split in two by the weight. The piers, girders and walls of the building were sufficiently strong for the weight. The walls were well built. The deficiency was, I think in the piers. The ground on which some of the piers were placed seems to have sunk, taking the foundation with it, and both causes operated together to cause the accident.

*Jno. P. Brown*, sworn.—Am a kind of a carpenter; have worked at the business twenty-eight years; am of the firm of Brown & Blair, Allegheny; examined the warehouse this morning; the only fault I find with the building is that the centre piers were not sufficiently strong for the weight of the building; the cap-stone did not cover the entire top of the pier; the piers may have been over-loaded; the breaks I noticed in the piers I saw looked like old ones; think the building was over-loaded; if the piers had been well built, eighteen inches square, and covered with an eighteen-inch cap-stone, I would have gone their security.

*Dr. Silas N. Benham*, sworn—Was sent for by Mr. Finch to examine Caven before he was coffined. Made a careful examination; satisfied myself that he was dead; next took note of his injuries, and next satisfied myself as to the probable cause of his death. His injuries, so far as I was able to ascertain, were a slight abrasion of the skin of the nose, dislocation of the left shoulder backward and upward, produced probably in the act of falling, a deep indentation in the left thigh, but no abrasion of the skin; perhaps the dent was an inch deep; in the right groin was also a deep indentation, with no abrasion of the skin. There were no fractures at all that I could discover by careful examination. The face was swollen and livid; the lips were also much swollen and livid; also the mucus membrane of the nostrils. A whitish film covered the eyes; the pupils were dilated and fixed. The conclusion I arrived at was that the man had been poisoned by the vapor of the whisky. No examination of the viscera was allowable, and while the man might have died from internal injuries, it is not at all probable from the history of the case. The intense strength of the alcoholic fumes forms the most reasonable explanation of the death. They were so strong that an examination of twenty minutes affected me materially. (A statement having been made to the jury that a report was in circulation in McKeesport that the body of deceased was growing warmer and it was believed that life was not extinct, the witness explained that the heightening of the temperature of the body would be occasioned by the cessation of alcoholic evaporation, which hitherto has kept the body colder than it otherwise would have been.)

*George Howarth*, sworn—Am a stone mason and contractor. Superintended the building of the stone work and brick work of Finch & Co.'s bonded warehouse. Was employed at first by Mr. Kerr, architect, as superintendent. The stone work was given out by contract, and I was appointed to see that it was properly done. The work was not done according to the plans and specifications. Mr. Finch then employed me to see the work properly done. I had the work previously done torn down. About a hundred perches of the foundation were removed and made deeper and wider. Dug down until we came to good clay. The foundations of the walls all stand good. The foundations of the piers were of the same depth, and the same as the wall foundations. The foundations of the piers are of stone, five feet square and the same depth. Was particular to see them well built. The stone were all laid in good mortar. Above the foundation I put a three foot stone base about one foot thick, for the brick work to rest on. The brick work was twenty-seven inches square, with projections on two sides for girders to rest on. A stone cap one foot thick was placed on top of the pier for the posts to rest on. Considered the brick work good. The brick were laid in cement and the courses were bound throughout. Can give no cause for the accident. The brick may have been too tender for the weight. It would have been better to have the cap stone cover the piers. The plan, I believe, however, was sent to Washington and accepted. Think the building was originally designed for a four-story building, but am not sure. The building is one hundred and thirty feet long, sixty feet wide and five stories in height. The walls of the first and second stories were three bricks thick, in the third story two and a half and in the fourth story two.

*Michael Hanrahan*, sworn—Am bookkeeper for Finch & Co. Had the superintendence of the distillery—and the house adjoining it, at the time the warehouse was being commenced, and had something to do with preparing the plans. The building was first let by contract to John Cuthbert, and a great part of the foundation done before the plans were prepared by Mr. Kerr, or it was thought of putting the job in the hands of an architect. I condemned the work and recommended the placing of the job in the hands of an architect. Mr. Finch, after consultation, engaged Mr. Kerr, who prepared plans and specifications. Mr. Kerr then took charge of the concern, examined the work done and condemned it. The work was condemned and removed, and the building recommenced. Mr. Howarth had full supervision of the stone and brick work, at Mr. Finch's expense. The first plan was for four stories, but an additional story was put on with the consent of Mr. Kerr. The law requires the building to be inspected and accepted by Government officers, and suppose it was done in this case. The original plan was to have two continuous walls along the centre of the building, where the piers were afterwards located. Mr. Finch sent the witness to Mr. Kerr, to see if the walls could be avoided, and Mr. Kerr substituted piers. After the first break down, it was intended to tear down so much of the building as was bad and rebuild it.

At this point the inquest adjourned until this morning at ten o'clock, at the same place.

### Revenue Decision—Important to Tobacco Dealers and Manufacturers.

The following decision by the Revenue Department, received by the Supervising Inspector, will be found of importance to those interested:

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF INTERNAL REVENUE,
WASHINGTON, May, 13, 1869.

SIR: In reply to your letter of the 19th inst., with reference to the liabilities of persons and firms who manufacture tobacco and cigars in the same building where they have a salesroom, and where they sell not only their own products but also goods manufactured by other persons, I have to say that the act of July 20th, 1868, requires every manufacturer of tobacco to give bond and pay a special tax before commencing or continuing business, and a like requirement is made of every manufacturer of cigars. Both kinds of business cannot be performed under one bond and special tax receipt, neither is one interchangeable with the other.

A manufacturer of tobacco and snuff may sell the products of his own manufacture without paying special tax as a dealer in tobacco, and a manufacturer of cigars may sell the cigars of his own manufacture at the place of manufacture without paying special tax as a dealer. But if a manufacturer of tobacco, or a manufacturer of cigars, sells at the same time the products of other manufacturers, he must pay a special tax as dealer in manufactured tobacco.

Every manufacturer of tobacco and snuff is required to pack and stamp his goods before they are removed from the manufactory, or from *any place* where the same are made, except such tobacco and snuff as are intended for export, and every manufacturer of cigars is required to pack his cigars in boxes not before used for that purpose, and affix tax paid stamps, before he is allowed to remove them from any manufactory or *place where* cigars are made.

Under these provisions of law it is held and decided, that where a person or firm make or manufacture tobacco and cigars, or either tobacco or cigars, in a different part or parts of the same building in which they have a sales room, where they sell at retail their own products, or the products of other manufacturers, the room or part of the building where each particular part of the business is carried on is either the store, the manufactory, or *the place* where the tobacco or cigars are made, as the case may be, and the special tax paid as a dealer, or as a manufacturer of tobacco, or a manufacturer of cigars, is limited to and covers only the business done in the part of the building so designated and used, and does not cover those portions of the building which are appropriated for other purposes.

When, therefore, a dealer in manufactured tobacco has his sales room in the front part of his store, and occupies the back part as a place for manufacturing tobacco, snuff or cigars, or where he uses the first floor of his building as a store or sales room, and the upper floors or cellar as places for manufacturing or making tobacco, snuff or cigars, the goods, whether tobacco, snuff or cigars, must be packed and stamped before they are removed from that part of the building where they are made to the store or sales room. When tobacco, snuff or cigars are removed from the place where they are made and placed in a store or sales room where the occupant does business as a dealer, they are offered for sale within the meaning of the revenue law, and if they are found there exposed for sale without the proper stamps affixed, they are liable to seizure, and the person so removing his goods and offering them for sale without previously affixing and cancelling the proper stamps denoting the payment of the tax, is liable on conviction to the penalties imposed by sections 71 and 89 of the act of July 20th, 1868.

Where a person manufactures and sells cigars in the same room, and at the same place sells cigars of other person's manufacture, he must pack and stamp his cigars before he sells or offers or exposes his cigars for sale, by placing them upon his shelves, counter, show case or other conspicuous place.

Manufactured and purchased goods cannot be stored promiscuously and offered for sale upon the same sheives and counters, and without stamps affixed to the goods which the person thus exposing them has manufactured himself.

Goods of his own manufacture, which are thus commingled by the manufacturer with goods purchased without being properly stamped and cancelled, are liable to seizure, under sections 70 and 71, or if cigars, under the provisions of section 89, act of July 20th, 1868.

[Signed] J. W. DOUGLASS.
A. P. TUTTON, Esq., Act'g. Com'r.
Supervisor, Pittsburgh, Pa.

### Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed of record before H. Snively, Esq., Recorder May 18, 1869:

Jacob Porter to Right Rev. M. Domenec, in trust for St. Marys R. C. congregation, January 25, 1867; lot in Seventeenth ward, Pittsburgh..... $2,000

Victor R. McElheny to William Burns, May 15, 1869; lot on Middle street, Sharpsburg, 40 by 200 feet..... $3,000

W. H. Lowrie to J. P. Lyon, November 24, 1868; lot on corner of Union avenue and Central street, First ward, Allegheny, 25 by 148 feet, with buildings..... $20,000

Geo. Johnston to S. Harrison, November 27, 1863; lot on Main street, Sharpsburg, 30 by 150 feet..... $300

Francis Allop to S. Harrison, March 1, 1851; lot adjoining the above, 23 by 100 feet..... $300

S. Harrison to George Johnston, September 1, 1849; lot on Main street, Sharpsburg, 20 by 150 feet..... $262

Mrs. Mary Cass to John Snyder, September 8, 1865; lot on Tunnelville plank road, Chartiers township..... $200

Olivetta Wharton to Peter Schiel, November 2, 1865; lot on Pine street, Lower St. Clair township, 40 by 90 feet..... $300

John P. Shellhammer to Mathias Kopf, April 2, 1867; two lots in Harrison township, 40 by 90 feet..... $230

Samuel Manuel et al. to G. Schan, May 8, 1869; lot on Jane street, East Birmingham, 20 by 100 feet..... $275

M. Brenner to Dena Arnold, April 21, 1869; two lots in Harrison township, 71 by 232 feet on Breckinridge avenue..... $250

Moore Thompson to Casper Hallman, May 12, 1869; lots No. 1 and 2 in Thompson's plan, 21st ward, Pittsburgh..... $1,150

Jos Orr to S. A. Sayers, January 6, 1869; lot No. 14 Charlton's plan 6th ward, Allegheny..... $600

Aaron Floyd to W. McClelen et al., trustees of Eighth U. P. Church, Pittsburgh, May 12, 1869; lot corner of Vannauren and Locust streets, 6th ward, Pittsburgh, 80 by 102 feet..... $4,400

Mrs. L. Price to W. C. Wagner, May 14, 1869; two lots on Arella street, 21st ward, Pittsburgh, 48 by 120 feet..... $700

MORTGAGES.

Ten mortgages were filed for record.

### Second Ward Republican Club.

The Second Ward (Pittsburgh) Republican Club held a meeting last evening at their rooms, at which the following resolution was adopted;

*Resolved*, That we hereby endorse the able, honest, efficient and popular administration of Governor Geary, and we do request the delegates to the Judicial County Convention about to assemble to elect delegates to the State Convention favorable to his re nomination.

## THE COURTS.

### United States Circuit Court—Judge McCandless.

TUESDAY, May 18.—The case of Colon vs. Hunter et al, previously reported, still occupies the attention of this Court.

### District Court—Judge Hampton.

TUESDAY, May 18.—The case of Young vs. The Little Saw Mill Run Railroad Company, an action to recover damages for the loss of a limb, caused by the falling of a platform, the property of defendants, reported on trial yesterday, was resumed, and, at the conclusion of the testimony, N. P. Fetterman, Esq., counsel for defendants, with leave of Court, filed the following additional pleas, viz:

1st. The defendant was not the owner of the platform on which the accident happened to plaintiff.

2d. That defendant had not the occupancy or possession of said platform at the time of the accident.

C. B. M. Smith, Esq., attorney for plaintiff, addressed the jury, after which Court adjourned.

TRIAL LIST FOR WEDNESDAY.

84. Sweeny adm'x vs. Wolf.
79. Sullivan vs. Reese, Graff & Dull.
80. Cusick vs. same defts.
87. Harr vs. McGowan.
88. Faas vs. Cochran.
89. Balden vs. Morrison, Koegler & Co.
90. Jenkins & Co. vs. Hades.
91. McKee & Co. vs. Fawcett.

### Common Pleas—Judge Mellon.

TUESDAY, May 18.—The case of Nixon, Clarke and Williams vs. Fleming was first taken up. This was an action of trespass on the case to recover a flat boat, or bulk oil boat, and a barge, property of plaintiffs, which it appears defendants found and it is alleged refused to return or pay for. The boats were valued at $700. Verdict for defendant.

Willard vs. Johns. Action on a promissory note. The parties to this suit, it appears, had some dealings and when a settlement was made the accounts were squared by the defendant giving plaintiff a note for the balance due. The notes, it appears, were drawn payable *to* the Union National Bank, instead of payable *at* said bank, as was the intention. The defendant claimed that, as the note was drawn payable to the bank, it must be transferred to plaintiff before he can recover upon it.

Plaintiff claimed that the notes never belonged to the Union National Bank, and consequently no transfer was necessary. The Court charged the jury that if they found that there was a mistake in drawing the notes, they should find for the plaintiff, as a judgment upon the notes entered on this suit would be a bar to any other action upon them. After a brief absence the jury returned a verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $650.31.

Kramer vs. Mondreon. Action to recover for work and labor done. Defendant is a basket maker and it appears employed plaintiff, who is a machinist, to make a machine to cut splits for making baskets. The machine was made and set up and a portion of the money paid, after which defendant became dissatisfied because the machine would not work. On trial.

TRIAL LIST FOR WEDNESDAY.

68. Hoeveller vs. Mugele et al.
126. Adler & Co. vs. Penna. R. R. Co.
10. Smith vs. Gray.
45. Heath for use vs. Haigh et al.
56. Hazlett vs. Allegheny Ins. Co.

MARCH LIST.

4. G. P. B. & L. Association vs. Bischoffeberger.
5. Quince vs. Adams Ex. Co.
10. Martin vs. Mullen.
11. Same vs. Same.
13. Hallarman vs. Kier, Foster & Co.
14. Harper, Gutman & Co. vs. Williams.

### Grand Row.

On Monday evening a resident of Reserve township gave a select cotillion party at his residence, which was largely attended by lovers of the terpsichorean art. Unfortunately, among those who, by some means, gained admittance, were four females of doubtful reputation. This fact became known in the course of the evening to the remainder of the ladies, who at once manifested their indignation by pouncing upon the luckless individuals and beating them severely.

A grand row ensued, in which the entire company participated, and for a time affairs were quite lively. The distrubance was finally quieted and the party broken up, hardly an attendant leaving the premises without bearing away some mark of the occasion, There have been no informations of arrests since the occurrence.

### About an Umbrella.

Cornelius Boyle alleges he was the owner of a valuable umbrella, which he was carrying along the street on Sunday afternoon, when James Williams and John Walls approached and attempted to wrench it from his grasp. In endeavoring to save his property, he alleges he was dragged along the street for a considerable distance, and finally lost the article, which was torn to shreds in the scuffle. As a salve for his injured feelings, he made information before Alderman Lynch yesterday against his alleged assailants for malicious mischief in destroying the umbrella, and assault and battery in ill using him. The affair occurred on Liberty street, in the neighborhood of the Union Depot. Warrants issued.

### Held for Court.

William Bailey, Frank Dunn and Ed. Kennedy, the parties mentioned in yesterday's paper as having been engaged in the row at a saloon in Pleasant Valley, Second Ward, Allegheny, had a hearing before Mayor Drum, yesterday morning, which resulted in their being fined twenty-five dollars each for disorderly conduct. Informations were then made against them for felonious assault and battery by the proprietor of the saloon, upon which they gave bail in the sum of one thousand dollars each for a hearing on Tuesday next.

### Assaulted and Robbed.

Monday evening about nine o'clock, as Mr. James P. Gregg, Jr., was passing down Liberty street, Allegheny, near the German Catholic Church, he was assaulted by three men, knocked down and robbed of a valuable silver watch and gold chain. The thieves were frightened off by the approach of a gentleman who afterwards assisted Mr. Gregg to his home. Yesterday morning the police arrested a young man on suspicion of being implicated in the robbery, but at the hearing last evening, he was discharged, the evidence being insufficient to warrant his detention.

**Real Estate.**—Sale this day. Mr. Bissell's magnificent property on the Perrysville Road goes under the hammer to-day. Do not fail to attend if you wish to secure a piece of the finest property in Allegheny county. A. Leggate, Auc.

### Amusements.

An exceedingly large and fashionable audience assembled at the Academy of Music last evening, at Ole Bull's grand concert. The reputation of Ole Bull and his company naturally created high expectations in the public mind, which, we regret to say, were not entirely realized. Their entertainment could have been unexceptionable, but for the failure of Mr. Owen, the piano accompanist, who marred the enjoyment of every piece in which he had a conspicuous part. The singing of Miss Barton was highly appreciated by the audience, as were all the other performances, save the piano accompaniments. The second concert takes place this evening, when, for the credit of the excellent company to which Mr. Owen is attached, we hope he will improve upon his efforts of last evening.

OPERA HOUSE.—Humpty Dumpty still rules the hour at the Opera House. The audience last evening exhibited no falling off, either in numbers or enthusiasm. To-night Harry Leslie takes a benefit, and as he is well known and quite a favorite with Pittsburgh theatre goers, a crowded house may be anticipated.

PITTSBURGH THEATRE.—A Matinee for ladies and children will be given at the Pittsburgh Theatre this afternoon. The Forty Thieves occupies the boards and will be presented at the Matinee and this evening. It has had a very successful run. To secure seats persons are compelled to be in attendance early.

GRAND EXHIBITION.—A few evenings since the pupils of Mrs. Slack Davis' school gave an exhibition in the Academy of Music, which rendered so much pleasure to those in attendance that, at the request of many, it will be repeated next Tuesday evening, at the Academy of Music. The entertainment is one of considerable merit, and will afford an enjoyable evening to all who may attend.

RENEGADE OF THE POTOMAC.—To-morrow night the Renegade of the Potomac will be repeated at the Academy of Music. The performance attracted large audiences during its representation last week, and will hardly fail to do so again. It is given in aid of one of the noblest of causes, and should receive a hearty support.

### Decoration Day—Ladies Meeting.

Yesterday afternoon a meeting of the ladies of the Monumental Association was held in City Hall, for the purpose of taking some action in reference to participating in the exercises of "Decoration Day." The meeting, though informal in character, was quite spirited, and fully exhibited the interest which those in attendance had in the celebration of the day.

After a free interchange of opinion, it was decided to hold another meeting to-morrow (Thursday) afternoon, at three o'clock, at the same place, which all the ladies of the vicinity together with those of Sewickley, Mansfield and surrounding boroughs are cordially invited to attend. It is designed to appoint committees to make all the necessary arrangements for carrying out that part of the programme especially assigned to the ladies.

The Executive Committee has given into their hands the floral department, and the care of all the orphan children from a distance, who are expected to take part in the ceremonies. Every patriotic lady who feels interested in keeping green the memory of the nation's defenders, should, if possible, be in attendance at this meeting, and lend her assistance in the noble work.

### Burglary in Allegheny.

At an early hour yesterday morning, the grocery store and dwelling of Mr. Joseph Fletcher, corner of Robinson and Darragh streets, First ward, Allegheny, was entered by some expert burglars, who gained admission through a kitchen window. Once inside they proceeded to go through the house in professional style. Ascending to the bed rooms they broke open several trunks, scattering the contents in all directions, and securing about twenty-five dollars in cash. They also possessed themselves of two gold watches and some articles of jewelry, from a dressing bureau, after which they descended to the first floor, and entered the store room by cutting a panel from a door leading thereto. The store was thoroughly ransacked, but only netted them in cash about five dollars.

Having finished the examination, they left as they had entered, allowing the window to fall with a crash, which awakened the inmates of the house.

Two chisels were left in the store room, with which they operated. The police are at work on the case, but thus far have not succeeded detecting the bold burglars.

### Valuable Selection.

It seems hardly necessary to call the attention of our readers to the fact already known, that Colonel J. D. Egan, at his book and news depot, Sixth avenue, near Smithfield street, has on hand one of the choicest assortments of rare and valuable works on Law, Politics, Philosophy, Belles Lettres, &c., &c., to be found in the city, many of which can be had nowhere else. The Colonel is also prepared to furnish Sunday Schools with libraries at short notice, having supplied himself with a full stock in this department. In addition, anything in the line of Stationery or Periodicals may be found on his counters. Give him a call.

### Continental Saloon.

We desire to call the attention of our readers to the superiority of the Continental Saloon over any of its competitors, briefly in order that they may know where to call when in search of a good meal. The Continental possesses the advantage of a central location, being situated on Fifth avenue, next door to the Postoffice, and Mr. Holtzheimer, the proprietor, is one of the most accommodating, gentlemanly and efficient caterers in this city. His tables are always supplied with the best of everything in its proper season, and his cooks and attendants are all experienced men, and know how to attend to the wants of the patrons of the establishment.

### A Fine Assortment.

W. W. Moorhead, 81 Market street, has now one of the finest assortments of lace goods, trimmings and dress goods to be found in the city. The stock has been selected with especial care, and being but just received, will be found fully up to the latest fashions and styles. This establishment has always been a popular resort for the ladies, who it is presumed know where to purchase. For a superior quality of goods in the departments named, and reasonable prices, we know of no place we can more conscientiously recommend to our readers than Mr. Moorhead's.

**Turtle Soup** for lunch this morning at Frew's, No. 52 Smithfield street.

The place to get White Lime, Calcinec Plaster, Hydraulic Cement, is at Ecker & Caskey's, 13 Smithfield street.

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### Household Affairs.

No other defect in the household arrangements is more observable or annoying than a deficiency in the supply, or the inferior quality of queensware. So well is this understood by the perfect housekeeper that, one of the most important matters in her domestic affairs is in relation to the purchase of these articles. Heretofore all choice goods in this line were received by importation, and the cost consequently placed them quite beyond the reach of a great majority of persons. Since the establishment however of the Keystone Pottery, Messrs. S. M. Kier & Co. proprietors, trade has changed, and now the finest articles of queensware, or Bristol ware, equal to any importation may be obtained at an expense which places them with the reach of the most moderate income. Messrs. Kier & Co. at their warerooms No. 363 Liberty street, have on hand constantly a large and varied assortment of these goods, which they feel satisfied will bear examination, and give satisfaction to every purchaser.

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**Segars and Tobacco.**—The segar and tobacco establishment of John Megraw, 45 Hand street, is beyond all question the place to purchase. The stock is one of the largest and the prices as reasonable as at any other establishment in the city. Retail dealers as well as consumers of the weed will find in this house everything usually kept in a first-class tobacco store, and they will at the same time find the proprietor gentlemanly and courteous in his business transactions.

**Chapped Hands,** face and all roughness of the skin, certainly cured by using the *Juniper Tar Soap*, made by Caswell, Hazard & Co., New York. It surpasses all other remedies as it will prevent roughness of the skin if used during cold weather. It is easily applied, avoiding all the trouble of the greasy compounds now in use. It can be used by ladies with the most tender skin, without irritation or pain, making it soft and clear. Sold by the druggists generally. wT

**Printed P. K's,** worth one dollar, closing out at 50 cents. J. M. Burchfield & Co., No. 52 St. Clair street.

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**Remnants** of dress goods, silks and poplins and wool goods, cheap at J. M. Burchfield & Co.'s.

### DIED:

COLLIER—On the morning of the 18th inst., Mrs. SARAH COLLIER, wife of Rev. Wm. Collier, D.D., aged 68 years.

The friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral on WEDNESDAY, the 19th, at 3½ o'clock P. M., from the residence of her husband in Sharpsburg.

### MARRIED.

METZGER—RAMSEY—On Tuesday, May 18th, 1869, by the Rev. J. R. Kennedy, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. MARTIN METZGER, of Pittsburgh, and EDITH RAMSEY, of Beaver Falls.

LA ROCHE—PRICE—On Tuesday morning, May 18th, 1869, at the Round House, by Rev. Samuel Laird, pastor of First English Lutheran Church, Mrs. MARY C. PRICE, of this city, to ALEXIS GARNIER DE LA ROCHE, of Paris, France.


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